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High hopes for England game, but in World Cup...

Second our best bet: Rudi

By
LAURIE
SCHWAB

When the Soccercoers run onto the Sydney Cricket Ground against the English FA team on May 31, they will be a tight, cohesive unit — a "family", as coach Rudi Gutendorf puts it.

"My searching is over. Now, we must concentrate on a limited circle of players to make them feel secure, to take off the pressure of having to prove themselves," he said.

"Now, the coaching work starts. So far, I have been doing the work of a plumber. Now, I'll get down to the fine art of the landscape gardener."

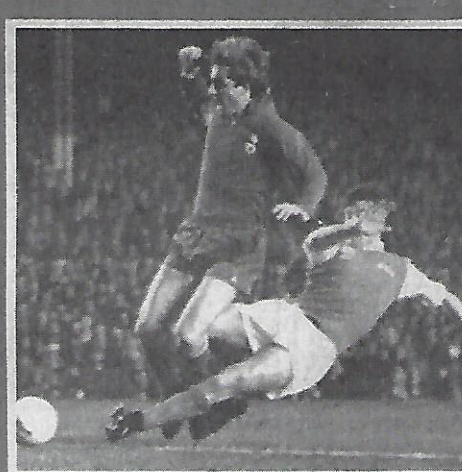
Gutendorf so far has named 16 players for the game against the English FA team. Others, including Sebastian Giam-polo of Canberra City, Arno Bertogna of Newcastle, Murray Barnes (Sydney City), Yakka Banovic, John Yzendoorn (Heidelberg) and Martyn Crook (West Adelaide) are on the fringe.

Gutendorf revealed Footscray winger Zdravko Lujic soon would get a



50 goals:
he's
done it

Heidelberg's Gary Cole passed the 50-goal mark in scoring a hat-trick against Brisbane City on Sunday. Here he is scoring his second. Cole's total includes league, Cup and top four goals since the start of the PSL in 1977. Picture by LEO SHORTROCK.



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Home final makes Real Cup favorite

From JIM COOK

Real Madrid will be firm favorite to win the European Cup if it preserves the advantage it built up with its 2-0 victory over Hamburg SV in their first-leg semi-final last week.

The reason is that the European Cup final, on May 28, will be played in Madrid.

Carlos Santillana, Real's top scorer this season with 16, notched both goals against Hamburg in the Spanish team's home leg.

Hamburg held on until 23 minutes from the end when Santillana turned a cross from West German Uli Stielike into the net and then added another to delight the 110,000 crowd — the biggest of the semi-finals.

Hamburg's Kevin Keegan, captain of England, who was withdrawn to the midfield, said later: "I thought it was a

mistake for us to play defensively."

Hamburg will open up a little more in the home leg, but this will make it even more vulnerable to Santillana and his fellow strikers Juanito and Laurie Cunningham.

And so Real is firmly on the road to its sixth Cup victory. It won the Cup in the first five years of the competition, in 1956, 57, 58, 59 and 60, as well as 1966.

Its opponent in the final probably will be Nottingham Forest, which beat Ajax Amsterdam 2-0 in its home leg semi-final.

A Trevor Francis goal, followed by a John Robertson penalty gave Nottingham, the Cup holder, a handy lead to take to Amsterdam on April 23.

But Ajax, which won the Cup in 1971, 72 and 73, has the ammunition to hit back at Nottingham at home.

The exciting flair of Danish imports Soren Lerby, 22, and

Frank Arnesen, 23, has guided Ajax back to the top of the Dutch league and forwards Tscheu La Ling and Dick Schoemaker have been scoring goals galore.

Kenny Burns and Larry Lloyd will have to be at their fiercest to carry Nottingham through against the talented Dutch in the second leg.

Juventus and Valencia are likely to be the finalists in the Cup Winners' Cup, with Arsenal and Nantes missing out, while Borussia Moenchengladbach and Bayern Munich — those old rivals — should reach the final of the all-German UEFA Cup.

Antonio Cabrini gave Juventus an early lead against Arsenal with a penalty in London.

Arsenal lost centre back David O'Leary after a crunching tackle and Juventus lost Marco Tardelli, ordered off after interpreting his task of marking Irish star Lam

• Juventus Roberto Bertog is brought down by Arsenal's Brian Talbot during their Cup Winners' Cup semi-final. Cabrini scored from the penalty. The team drew 1-1.

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Bye-Bye Western Oval

Footscray JUST is almost certain to be allowed to play one last match at Western Oval on Sunday against Newcastle before being kicked off the ground.

Footscray Council is expected to try to accommodate JUST at Yarraville VFA Australian Rules ground.

JUST moved to Western Oval two weeks ago in a deal with Footscray Football Club approved by the council.

But the Victorian Football League ruled that VFL grounds must be available for Australian rules at all times and cannot be shared with other codes.



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State training, 1958



An historic photo of NSW State team training in May, 1958. On the left is Joe Marston, former Australian captain and Preston North End stalwart, going through the finer points of the game with left-back Harry Murdoch.

Reed for 'Cross

George Cross has issued a hands-off warning to other clubs interested in signing former Cross striker Ken Reed, presently with APIA.

George Cross president, Alf Zahra, told "Soccer Action" that APIA and George Cross enjoy a good relationship and the Reed deal had been finalised between the two clubs.

All that remains is for Reed to agree to the terms offered to him by the Melbourne club.

Unfortunately neither George Cross nor APIA know of Reed's whereabouts and the only journalist in Melbourne who has located Reed is keeping silent on the matter.



Ken Reed

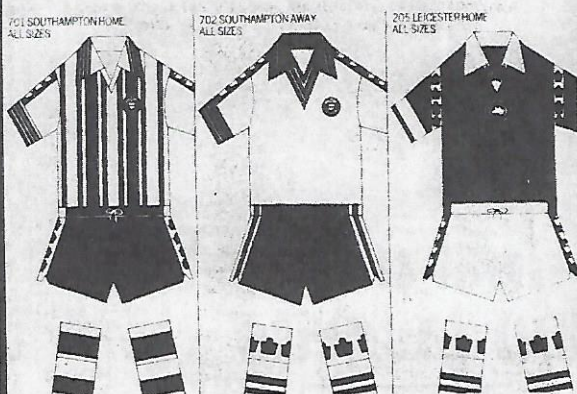
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I know we haven't lived up to the expectations of the committee and supporters but I can feel the difference this year.

The players should shoulder most of the blame for our disastrous season in 1979. The atmosphere was bad but the players' attitude was worse.

It was a question of professionalism. We were too amateurish in our outlook. Okay, so we were losing but you have to put that to the back of your mind and get on with the job.

Instead we were like prima donnas just going through the motions every week.

It got to the stage where a player's name gave him his game each week. There just wasn't enough pressure on players to fight for their places in the eleven.

We accepted defeat too easily and our loser's attitude spread onto the training track as well.

No one cross-examined himself about his performance. Subsequently, once we started to go downhill it was hard to put the brakes on.

Now we are a unit, a team, and John Margaritis must take a lot of the credit for this about-face.

Supporters were quick to blame the club administration last year rather than the players, so I hope the fans will be as quick to praise the committee as our revival continues.

Anyway, we have come to terms with our situation and the past is dead and buried.

We are backing each other up now and it is great to feel the enthusiasm from all quarters.

The tremendous depth of our squad puts pressure on you to perform each week and all of us are fighting hard to keep our place.

I have a special reason to do well this year.

My first season over here was great and I was keen to carry on that form.

Everyone was behind me then but after I broke my leg



By **GEORGE CAMPBELL**

On the Ball

The Player's Viewpoint



George Campbell is dispossessed in this tackle by Footscray's Jim Kondarios. In the background is Joe Picciano.

the critics started to write me off. Even now they doubt whether I can come back.

It was amazing how people's attitudes changed and I will get a lot of satisfaction at the end of the year when I can stick both fingers up at them all.

As for the Philips League I think that it is great but it annoys me when the critics periodically come out of their caves to knock the league.

People must remember that the PSL is still young and the scope for improvement is immense.

It seems obvious to me that the league can only benefit Australian soccer if it can get the chance it deserves.

When I first came here it was a mystery what Australian soccer was about.

I had thought about going to America but I sat down and considered the Hellas offer and decided it was the best move.

and Mary MacLeod two weeks after arriving here.

I had stayed with them in Aberdeen and was very sorry to leave for Australia.

I wanted to mention them because they have been great to me and were instrumental in settling me into my new environment.

Now I am used to the life style and I have developed aspirations about playing in Australia.

I would dearly love to play for the national team, as an international cap is the pinnacle of a player's career.

I don't know if my international caps for the Scotland youth team will prevent me from being considered for Rudi Gutendorf's squad but I certainly hope not.

Don't get me wrong, I am a Scot and always will be.

Playing for Scotland was an experience I will never forget. The camp before our two games against Denmark was an eye-opener.

The training was a lot different from Aberdeen's and I learned a lot from the camp and from the 30 minutes that I got in our 2-1 loss to the Danes at Rugby Park, Kilmarnock.

There is no doubt that getting the players together in a camp is half the battle won in establishing organisation and cohesiveness.

A lot has been said about Hellas not releasing its players to the Victorian State team but people don't seem to realise that the club is striving for success and this must take priority.

John Margaritis must keep us together as a unit and I am sure that if Len McKendry were coaching a club side like Heidelberg, for example, he would not want his training routine broken by State squad training.

You must remember that we are only semi-professional and train three nights a week.

Coming to Australia has made me think a lot about myself and where I am going.

I could have stayed in Scotland and played professional soccer but that is not enough.

I was married last year and I have broadened my outlook on many things.

Soccer is a funny game and your fortunes can change rapidly.

On a few years ago I never entertained any thoughts about coming to Australia, yet now here I am.

I sometimes feel at odds with myself, drawn between my folks back home and my in-

The agonising moment in which George Campbell's left leg broke, during a match against Adelaide City in 1978. Frank Lister has slid in for a tackle.



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In my last season with Aberdeen I had cracked a bone in my leg in a pre-season game and was out of action for ten weeks.

The club had just sold Arthur Graham to Leeds and the boss, Billy McNeill, was grooming me for the first team.

When I came back I damaged ankle ligaments in a reserve game and I had to consider my future seriously.

I told Aberdeen that I wanted to leave and a month later McNeill came up to me and said that an Australian club was willing to pay the price on my head.

Aberdeen told me it would not release me to another Scottish club so I accepted the Hellas offer.

At first I was very homesick

Newcastle under pressure from home town crowd

By JACK MATTHEWS

Newcastle KB United has proved often enough that it has the biggest home match following in the Phillips League, whether it is winning or losing.

However, that can have its problems as well as its advantages, says Alan Avest, the team's astute manager.

It is a problem to add to his ceaseless worries about the team's form and the players' injuries.

He is concerned about the attitude of the KB United players in matches in front of the team's wildly enthusiastic supporters at the International Sports Centre.

"Some of the players are becoming apprehensive about playing at the Centre in case they have a poor match," he said in an interview about this unexpected problem.

"It is distressing to hear a player being

booed by his own supporters but it happens," he said.

"When KB United kicked off in the Phillips League we had an edge over other teams when we played at the International Sports Centre, particularly when we met sides which did not draw big crowds to their own grounds.

"But it seems now that the size of our crowds gives some incentive to the visiting team to beat us, so we've lost that advantage.

"The Newcastle and coalfields people have become so well educated in the game and so selective that they no longer overlook the slightest error. Certainly they pay their money and are entitled to criticise but what most of them tend to forget is that KB United has to work on a very small and tight budget."

"We pay less to sign players than does any team in the Phillips League. It will be

different when the outlay to form the club and the team is covered but meantime, we must do with what we've got.

"We have not been able to spend more than \$13,000 in any one of the last three years to buy players. That is much less than other clubs, some of which have been reported as spending as much as \$200,000 a year," said Vest.

Vest said KB United lacked real pace in attack but that he could not afford, on his budget, to buy the players he would like to have up front.

"It means that our players must give everything they have and so it is not fair that they are booed if they have an off-day or make a mistake. It should not be forgotten that they are doing their level best and that they are representing Newcastle."

He said that the club's supporters had so closely identified themselves with the team that they expected success in every match.

"It would be nice to be able to oblige them but that's a tough assignment in this league," said Vest.

	Argentina	Yugoslavia
Total Success Rate	Total Success Rate	Total Success Rate
Passes:	382	310
Medium & short	29	270
Long	80	67
Dribbling at speed	48	35
Challenge on ground	54	37
Challenge in air	120	75
Shots at goal	28	18
Receiving under pressure	42	9
Fouls	18	22
Technical elements introduced	710	549

The latest technical studies illustrate in facts and figures exactly why Argentina is the world champion.

Apart from anything else, these figures show that the Argentinians have completed their armoury by perfecting their heading and tackling — the two skills which previously were not quite up to the standard of their other skills.

Argentina made an average of 130 tackles on the ground, for a success rate of 65 per cent during the 1978 World Cup finals.

It was successful in 18 of an average 26 challenges in the air, representing a success rate of 69 per cent. At tackling, Argentina was more effective than World Cup runner-up Holland, third-placed Brazil and fourth-placed Italy.

And so, the Argentinians have these skills to add to their greatest strength: dribbling at top speed, ability to outplay opponents, ability to receive the ball under pressure and extraordinary competence at passing.

Here's why Argentina won the Cup

To win the World Cup, Argentina used an incredible 710 elements of football, on average, of which 549, or 77%, were effective.

The world champions made an average of 348 precision passes per game. Only 8% were long passes, the rest were over short or medium distances.

In comparison, Italy and Holland played 12% to 13% long passes.

And the Argentinians outplayed their opponents

60 times by the Italians and, surprisingly, only 37 times by the Brazilians.

Statistics show that six players made Argentina's game in the World championship — full backs Olguin and Tarantini, libero Passarello, midfielders Gallego and Ardiles and forward Kempes.

They held all the ropes between them.

To put Argentina's performance into perspective, let's compare it with that of a European nation Yugoslavia.

• The comparative average figure set out (above) cover Argentina over four World Cup games — v France (2-1), Poland (2-4), Brazil (0-0) and Peru (6-0), and Yugoslavia over two



RALE RASIC

international games — v Italy 0-0 and Spain (1-2).

The obvious question that begs asking in regard to our much-aborted centenary celebrations is: shouldn't it all have been finalised a year in advance?

An occasion of such magnitude deserved positive, forward planning.

Instead, we had the farce of Yugoslavia, Wales, Hungary, Chile, etc. being named as visitors one week, only to withdraw a week later.

Contracts with overseas teams should have been finalised and signed well in advance to guarantee the international tournament that was to have taken place.

But what about other aspects of the centenary?

Surely, it would have been a good idea to market T-shirts or playing shirts featuring a centenary logo.

By the same token, such logos could have been sent to all newspapers, for use alongside soccer stories.

What percentage of the general public knows that it is soccer's centenary in Australia this year? What is being done to increase public awareness?

Next week, I will discuss the latest youth training techniques and schedules from the world's leading soccer countries.

We'll talk about how champions like Diego Maradona are produced at such a young age overseas and how we could have the same results right here in Australia.



Mario Kempes



TOM ANDERSON

It's the big-head epidemic!

A medical specialist should be called into Australian soccer immediately — to cure an epidemic that is spreading through our clubs.

This malady has hit many of our young players. It's a virus by the name of "Inflatus Craniumus" better known to you and me as the "big head" disease.

For some of our promising youngsters are getting carried away with their own importance.

Some of these unfortunate young fellows have forgotten that a player is only as good as his performance on the field.

They unfortunately are beginning to believe all the garbage that is being spread around about next year's World Youth Championships being the saviour of Australian soccer etc, etc, etc.

Although I want to take nothing away from these youth championships, it's time they were put into their proper perspective.

Our youngsters are going to get the fright of their lives when they meet the foreign teams, whose players have all come through the hard professional school.

At present our young players are being pampered by some officials who do not know the meaning of professional football.

This makes it hard for the club coaches and national coach Rudi Gutendorf when these youngsters are made to toe the line.

It's time they were made to realise that being a young player does not give anyone the divine right of a first team place.

This has got to be earned by performance. And if our youngsters are going to do well in the World Youth Championships next year, it will be by hard work and endeavour — not pampering.

Believe me, I'm all for giving youth a go and I believe that soccer is a young man's game.

However by the same token, this must be done in a professional manner and the pampering must stop immediately.

Then maybe we will be able to get rid of the "Inflatus Craniumus" epidemic.

If I wore a hat, I would do it to Heidelberg striker Gary Cole, one of the young lions of Australian soccer.

Here is a young man who knows what this

professional game of football is all about.

He plays in the most difficult position in football — the striking position, where games are won and lost.

He's brave, he's strong and he's dedicated and that's why he's now heading the scoring chart in the PSL.

Last week 'Soccer Action' editor Laurie Schwab devoted his front page to young King Cole — it was an honor well deserved.

I am convinced that the Socceros will make the 1982 World Cup finals in Spain. And I am more convinced that Gary Cole will help get them there.

After all the bribery scandals in Italy, the proposed visit of AC Milan has caused a great deal of interest here.

However, this is not the first time the Milan club has had its name linked with "money matters".

Way back in 1901 when it won its first championship, Milan fielded a number of foreigners in its team.

One of them, a Swiss by the name of Fry, was the first player in Italy to be suspected of professionalism.

The first president of Milan was the wealthy tyre manufacturer Dr Piero Pirelli whose financial resources got the club off to a magnificent start.

Another president by the name of Felice Riva however, was not as notable.

Mr Riva left Italy during his term as president of Milan, fled to Lebanon and was sentenced for financial irregularities during his absence.

Another president Dalbino Buticchi was suspended for criticising a referee in 1973.

The present president of the club, Felice Colombo, has been jailed because of the Pools scandal.

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THIS WEEK'S VOTESWEST ADELAIDE 4 BLACKTOWN 2 at Hindmarsh
Stadium. Ratings by Meno Toutsidis:WEST ADELAIDE: Crook 7 — McGregor 8, Totalskas
7, Maricic 7, Bozanic 7 — Atsalas 7 (Doorn), Topo-
lanski 6 (McKie 7), Manecas 8 — Koulianos 7, Kos-
mina 6, Honeyman 8.BLACKTOWN: James 7 — Harris 7, Campbell 7,
Stowell 8, Turnbull 7 — Harding 6, Ortega 7 (Fisher),
Amey 6 — Hormazabal 5, Izatt 8, Hunter 6 (Pollard).HEIDELBERG UNITED 3 BRISBANE CITY 1 at
Olympic Park. Crowded 3200. Ratings by Laurie
Schwab:HEIDELBERG: Banovic 9 — McMillan 7, Yzendoorn
7, P. Bannon 7, Tansey 8 — Campbell 8, Solomidis 6,
Rooney 8 — Cole 10, Paton 6, Bozilkas 6.BRISBANE CITY: Coe 7 — Perry 7, Ratcliffe 6,
Potter 6, Wilkinson 6 — Gaffney 7, Coyne 5, Low 7 —
Palinkas 7, Kelso 9, Caldwell 6.NEWCASTLE KB UNITED 0 CANBERRA CITY 4 at
International Sports Centre. Ratings by Joe Lanzoni:NEWCASTLE: Preston 8 — Reaney 9, Summers-
cales 6, Drinkwater 7, Cowburn 6 — Mason 7 (Curren
60th), Senkalski 6, Sneddon 6 — Kamasz 6 (Deskin
71st), Bertogne 6, Jones 7.CANBERRA: Wilson 7 — Moulis 7, Milovanovic 8,
Stark 7, Williams 7 — R. O'Shea 8, J. O'Shea 8, Cole 8
— McLaren 7 (Brennan 63rd), Valeri 8, Giampaolo 9.SOUTH MELBOURNE 1 APIA LEICHHARDT 0 at
Middle Park. Ratings by Craig MacKenzie:SOUTH MELBOURNE: Laumeta 7 — V. Bannon 9,
Xanthopoulos 8, Lutton 10, Davidson 8 — Evans 7,
Christopoulos 8, Rogers 6 — Buljevic 5, Cummings 7,
Campbell 9.APIA LEICHHARDT: Woodhouse 7 — Skellern 7,
Pullen 8, Wilson 7, McAusland 7 — Stone 7, McGinn
6, Bradley 5 (O'Donnell 8 half time), Dempsey 8 —
Pirie 6, O'Connor 7.

ST GEORGE 1 ADELAIDE CITY 4 at St George Sta-

dium. Ratings by Tom Anderson:

ST GEORGE: Smith 8, Groom 5 (Hadley 5, 51st),
McIntosh 6, Utjesenovic 6, Terry 5, Kay 5, Ketholka
6, Griffiths 5, Duarte 7, Beggs 5 (Barton 57th), Cotton
5.ADELAIDE CITY: Marshall 8, Dodds 8, Jones 7,
Russell 7, B. Nyskohus 8, Besir 7, Marocchi 6 (Sig-
nore 7, 41st), Malta 7, Muniz 8, Deans 7, J. Nyskohus
9.

MARCONI 2 FOOTSCRAY 2 at Marconi Oval.

Ratings by Ted Smithies:

MARCONI: Maher 9 — Brogan 7, Mariani 8 (Russell
74th), Prskalo 7, Degney 7 — Byrne 7, Raaskopoulos 8,
Vieri 7 — Krncevic 7 (Lindsay 74th), Jankovic 7,
Sharne 8.FOOTSCRAY: Boland 7 (Potter 35th, 7) — Hazebent
7, O'Reilly 7, Rujevic 8, Petrov 7 — Belic 7, Jovanovic
8, Picloane 8, Ilioski 7 — Vasic 7, Lujic 8.BRISBANE LIONS 2 SYDNEY CITY 0 at Lions Sta-
dium. Ratings by Bruce Waddell:BRISBANE LIONS: Scanlan 9, Wilson 9, Bennett 9,
Hermiston 10, Niven 9, Hogg 9, Lindsay 8, Millman 9,
Reid 6, McNaughton 8 (Spearritt 88th), Verweij 8.SYDNEY CITY: Clarke 8, Mullen 8, O'Connor 6,
Spanos 7, Bruce 6, Watson 6, Souness 5, Stevenson 6,
Smith 6, Boden 6, Silva 7.Leading ratings:
8.6 V. Bannon (SM)
8.5 Cole (H'berg), Mullen (SC).8.3 Hogg, Scanlan (BL), Konderios (Foots).
8.2 Hermiston, Millman (BL), Giampaolo (Can),
Barnes (SC).8.0 Pointer, Freeman, Izatt (Black), Bennett (BL),
Boden, Watson (SC), Milovanovic, D. Cole (Can),
Dando, Reaney (Newc), Laumeta (SM), Lujic (Foots).7.8 Tansey, Campbell, Rooney (H'berg), Clarke,
Spanos (SC), Jovanovic (Foots), Maher, Sharne,
Krncevic (Marc).

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3. Duarte (St.G), Valeri (Can).

TOP SCORER'S AWARD

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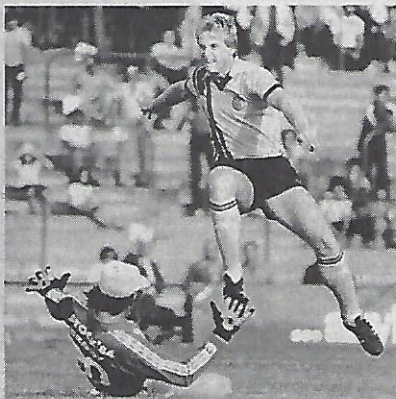
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Gary Cole launches a ferocious shot past Martin Coe. It hit the side netting. Picture by STEVE CHATZIS

The weekend's matches with likely winners and previous results

IN SYDNEY

APIA v West Adelaide (draw) at Lambert Park, Sunday 3pm. Previous results, 1979 - W/A 3-1, 1-0, Advantage: West Adelaide 2 wins, goals: 4-1.

ST GEORGE v Brisbane Lions at Barton Stadium, Sunday 3 pm. Previous results, 1977 - 0-0, 1-0, 1978 - 0-0, 2-2, 1979 - St.G 1-1, 3-2. Advantage: St. George 1 win, 5 draws, 0 losses, goals: 7-6. **Blacktown City v SYDNEY CITY** at Gabbie Stadium, Sunday 3 pm. No previous results.

IN MELBOURNE

FOOTSCRAY v Newcastle (venue not settled) Sunday 3 pm. Previous results: 1978 - Newc 1-1, 1-0, 1979 - Newc 3-0, J.U.S.T. 2-0. Advantage: Newcastle 2 wins, 1 draw, 1 loss, goals: 5-3.

IN CANBERRA

Canberra v Heidelberg (draw) at Bruce Stadium, Sunday 3 pm. Previous results: 1977 - Heid 1-0, 2-0, 1978 - Canb. 1-0, 2-2, 1979 - Heid. 2-1, 0-0. Advantage: Heidelberg 3 wins, 2 draws, 1 loss, goals: 7-4.

IN BRISBANE

Brisbane City v ST MELB HELLAS at Perry Park, Sunday 3 pm. Previous results: 1977 - BC 2-0, 1-0, 1978 - H 2-1, 1-1, 1979 - BC - 1-0, H 4-0. Advantage: Brisbane City 3 wins, 1 draw, 2 losses, goals: 6-7.

IN ADELAIDE

Adelaide City v MARCONI at Olympic Sports Field, Sunday 2.30 pm. Previous results: 1977 - AC 1-0, 4-0, 1978 - AC 1-1, 4-0, 1979 - M 4-2, 4-4. Advantage: Adelaide City 3 wins, 2 draws, 1 loss, goals: 16-9.

Tansey, Bannon will have their hands full

By CRAIG MACKENZIE

Round Seven of the unpredictable Philips League sees free-scoring opponents Canberra City and Heidelberg United clash at the Bruce Stadium in a contest that should capture the imagination of the Canberra soccer public.

Footscray J.U.S.T. meanwhile plays host to Newcastle KB United at Western Oval, hopefully (see page one).

If this match is to live up to the success of J.U.S.T.'s first outing on the Oval the local crowd could be in for a goal feast.

Goals galore is fast becoming the catch cry of the 1980 season and the Canberra encounter may expose the team with the lesser defence, for the capabilities of both attacks cannot be in question.

The Heidelberg defence can at least be described as solid, its strength lying in the overlapping talents of Jim Tansey, and the occasional midfield forays of Paddy Bannon.

But these players may have their hands full coping with Sebastian Giampaolo, Walter Valeri and Tony Brennan.

Canberra's backline boasts the experience of Roy Stark and Harry Williams who may blanket United's deadly duo, Jamie Paton and Gary Cole. Heidelberg may leave Bruce Stadium with a well-earned point.

Anything can happen and probably will in Melbourne when the charitable J.U.S.T. defence takes on Newcastle's

unsettled front trio. Newcastle's Mark Trenter seems out of sorts to date but he will not get a better chance to put his name on the scorers' list.

Jim Fondarios and Peter Olivotto will have to recover full fitness if the home team is to win this encounter.

Sydney City should destroy Blacktown City which appear to have entered the PSL with an inferior playing staff.

Blacktown would be happy with a point and will be forced to play defensively, but the recent striking power of Sydney's Kenny Boden, Terry Smith and Murray Barnes should prove too hot to handle.

South Melbourne Hellas is back!

That is the confident claim of the Greeks down South and the skills of George Campbell and Alun Evans should cut a path through the Brisbane City defence.

I have been told that Hellas is a cohesive playing unit at last and that the club is confident of making the top four.

I am prepared to believe it for the talent and depth of the squad is immense. For its claims to ring true, Hellas must take both points from the struggling Brisbane team.

In Adelaide, Marconi visits the Olympic Sports Field to take on its former coach Rale Rasic and his Adelaide City side.

Marconi's sweeper Ivo Prskalo will have his reputation tested to the hilt by Adelaide's Dixie Deans and the brilliant John Nyskohus, who was in scintillating form in South Australia's interstate match against Victoria.

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APIA fullback Rod Skellern gets in front of flying George Campbell to clear. Picture by STEVE CHATZIS

Licensed club plan

The Newcastle KB United Board of Directors is considering the feasibility of establishing a licensed club.

It is understood that consideration is being given to acquiring premises soon to be vacated by a prominent firm in an outer, but rapidly growing suburb of Newcastle.

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SCORES TABLES

STATE LEAGUE: Preston 0-1 v St Kilda
Hawthorn 0-2, reserves 0-1 Green Gully
Geelong Cats 0-1 v Frankston City
City v Albion City 3-0, 0-2, Clayton City v Preston
Mascot 1-2, 1-3, Sunshine City v Western
Suburbs 1-2, 3-3, Essendon Croatia v Juventus
4-3, 2-1.

DIVISION 1: Ringwood City v Marston 2-0,
2-2, Springfield City v Marston 1-1, 1-0, Dan-
deryn City v Richmond 2-1, 2-2, Northcote v Ben
Hill 3-1, 1-4, Albion Rovers v Devon 0-1, 2-1,
Albion Rovers v Kell 0-2, 0-2.

DIVISION 11: Werribee City v Moreland
Falcon 1-2, 4-1, Port Melbourne v Heidelberg
United 0-3, 2-2, Melbourne v Arden 0-2, 2-0,
Knox City v South Melbourne 0-0, 0-2, Footscray
v Doncaster Rovers 1-2, 0-2, Park Rangers v Bell
Park 0-1, 0-1.

DIVISION 11: Heidelberg v Preston City 0-1,
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Northcote	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Ringwood	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Dandenong	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Devon	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Yallourn	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Albion Rovers	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Moreland	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
RESERVES	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Box Hill	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Albion Rovers	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Doncaster	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Dandenong	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Moreland	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Ringwood	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
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Kell	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Waverley City	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Devon	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Northcote	1	1	0	0	3	1	2

DIVISION TWO	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Park Rangers	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Heidelberg Utd	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Doncaster	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Maribyrnong	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Arden	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
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Arden	1	1	0	0	3	1	2

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Frankston Pines	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Broadmeadows	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
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Brighton	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Sandringham	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Manly United	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Moreland	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Northcote	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
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Northcote	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
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Ringwood Utd	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Broadmeadows	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Doncaster	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
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Knox City	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
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Arden	1	1	0	0	3	1	2

DIVISION SIX	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
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Ringwood Utd	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Broadmeadows	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Doncaster	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Maribyrnong	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
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Knox City	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Maribyrnong	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Arden	1	1	0	0	3	1	2

DIVISION SEVEN	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
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Ringwood Utd	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Broadmeadows	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Doncaster	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Maribyrnong	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
Arden	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
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Arden	1	1	0	0	3	1	2

Hamlyn Rangers	1	1	0	0	6	1	2
Hortham Utd	1	1	0	0	3	0	2
Rosebud	1	1	0	0	3	1	2
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Essendon City	1	1	0	0	2	1	2
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New Brazil boss will stop 'Europeanisation'

BRAZIL has appointed Tele Santana, coach of the Palmeiras club of Sao Paulo, as full-time manager of the national team to replace Claudio Coutinho who coached the last World Cup squad.

Santana, 48, has a flair for developing stars and is well known for his attacking style — Palmeiras played all-out attacking soccer and were the biggest scorers during the last national championship in which they were knocked out in the semi final — but his acceptance came as a bit of a surprise.

Recently he said: "Coaching Brazil for a World Cup is a good way to grow old quickly." Santana was to take up his new appointment on March 1 and had scheduled the first training session for the national squad for March 20 in Sao Paulo.

Santana, has considerable experience. He used to play as a right winger for Fluminense and has a useful reputation as

a player. Speedy, though not too skilful but brave, versatile and intelligent, his name is well remembered by Fluminense's supporters. He also played for Vasco da Gama and Guarani. Unlike Goutinho who was a volleyball player.

Tele Santana started as a coach in 1967, with the Fluminense Under-15 team. Then he went to Belo Horizonte and built a young and very successful Atletico Mineiro side. He won the Minas Gerais Championship in 1970 and the Brazilian Championship one year later. He was manager of other leading Brazilian teams and in 1977 succeeded in winning the Rio Grande do Sul Championship with Gremio. It was really a fine achievement.

He started from nothing and stopped Internacional, the eight times champions on the trot and the 1975 and 1976 Brazilian Champions and main rivals to Gremio in the South. Last year he was with Palmeiras. He did well there also, putting Palmeiras in the Brazilian semi-finals after humiliating Claudio Coutinho. Palmeiras beat Flamengo 4-1 at the Maracana and knocked them out of the Brazilian Championship. At that time everybody in Brazil was talking about Santana as the man



Claudio Coutinho — he's out.

to replace Coutinho. Actually, Claudio Coutinho started to lose his job that afternoon in Maracana.

Coutinho wanted the "Europeanisation" of Brazilian football, Santana wants to follow the way back to their roots. "Something like the 1978 Champions in Mexico," he said. The problem will be to find a new Pele, Tostao, Gerson, Rivelino, Jairzinho and many others.

Tele wants a skilful centre forward like Socrates, while his right winger will help the midfield, like he used to do for Fluminense many years ago. The left winger will play an open game. Each player must

firstly have a lot of skill and only then other qualities like strength, speed and so on.

If seems that Leao will lose his place as goalkeeper to Carlos, while Polozzi or the young Mauro Galvao from Internacional, 19 years old and chosen as the best newcomer in 1979 Brazilian Championship will replace Oscar in defence. Brazil's side could be: Carlos (Ponte Preta), Nelinho (Cruzeiro) — Amaral (Corinthians) — Mauro Galvao (Internacional) or Polozzi (Palmeiras) and Junior (Flamengo)/Batista (Internacional) — Paleao (Internacional) and Zico (Flamengo) — Socrates (Corinthians) and Ze Sergio (Sao Paulo).

For the "B" (under 21) side he intends to call up: Marola (Santos), Edson (Gremio), Luisinho (Atletico), Joao Luis (Vasco). Biro-Biro (Corinthians), Cristovao (Fluminense), Vitor (Flamengo), Jorginho (Palmeiras), Aroni (XV de Piracicaba), Leandro (Gremio), Luis Claudio (Botafogo), Wesley (Botafogo), Claudio (Santos), Luis Claudio (Corinthians), Paulo Cesar (Sao Paulo), Ailton (Sao Paulo), Carlos Alberto (Palmeiras), Careca (Guarani) and Carlos Henrique (Flamengo).



Mimis Domazos

France can win the World Cup!

LOOKING for a long-term World Cup tip? You might well fancy France for ... 1990.

That's the next European-scheduled staging after the forthcoming Spain bonanza, and the French appear to have an extraordinary young generation just breaking through. Yannick Stopyra, who made a goal-scoring debut as a substitute in the recent 5-1 win over Greece, is just the tip of an iceberg with more to come, such as the Saint-Etienne youth trio of Rousseau, Paganelli and Diekski. Remember the names.

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NAMES IN THE NEWS ... TIBOR NYILASI decided to play again for Ferencvaros after a short-lived retirement. LADISLAV NOVAK will succeed retiring JAROSLAV VEJVODA as Dukla boss in the summer. JEAN PETIT signed a five-year contract to stay with Monaco. Marseille sacked JULES ZVUNKA, their 20th coach in 35 years. KAZIMIERZ GORSKI took over Olympiakos after their vain attempt to land BRIAN CLOUGH. ANDRAS TOROSIK made his comeback after car crash injuries in Ujpest's tour of Japan. ex-Boca star DANIEL PAVON quit Espanol for Barcelona for Mexico's Cruz

Domazos returns to Greek squad

THE hopes of the Greek national team for good performance in the European Championship finals in June in Italy slipped back after its heavy 5-1 defeat by France in Paris.

Besides Switzerland, matches against East Germany and World Champions Argentina will be played in April and May. Coach Panagoulas announced the names of 40 players for the preparation stages and among them is Mimis Domazos who is nearly 40.

Domazos spent a couple of years with AEK but now he is back with Panathinaikos. Panagoulas will pick 22 players for the finals on May 22 and the following day the team will leave for Italy to complete the preparation in a sport-centre at Asy, a town between Turin and Milan.

The 40 players Panagoulas will have at his disposal are: Goalkeepers: Constantinos (Panathinaikos), Moukeas (Ethnikos), Poupakis (OFI Crete), Kovergioulis (Kavala), Cristides (AEK).

Defenders: Kirastas (Olympiakos), Gounaris, Iosifides, Apostolides (PAOK), Firas (Aris), Kapsis, Livathinos, Ziakos (Panathinaikos), Ravousis, Nicolaou (AEK), Xanthopoulos (Hercules), Girakis (OFI Crete), Karoulidis (Apollon), F. Papadopoulos (Ethnikos).

Midfield: Nicoloudis, Kousonakis (Olympiakos), Damnakis, Anastasiadis, Koudas (PAOK), Domazos (Panathinaikos), Kouts, Ballis (Aris), Ioakimides (Panachaiki). Forwards: Ardzoglou, Mavros (AEK), Orfanos, Costikos (PAOK), Anastopoulos (Panionios), Galakos (Olympiakos), Valaoras (Larissa), Zendros (Aris), Papiounou, Gesios (Hercules), Ifantides (Panathinaikos), Metropoulos (Ethnikos).

Move on penalty rule Board in June. Ray Clearence, the Liverpool and England keeper, said: "There'd be no sense in rushing along the line. This is not kids' football. FIFA claim that the rules are ignored by referees in 80 per cent of cases.

Big changes in Scotland

The Scottish Football League is likely to be reconstructed at the end of this season.

Presently it's 10-14-12 divisions and soon it could be 12-14-12. If the proposal is successful at the League AGM in May no club will be relegated from the Premier Division but two clubs will still be promoted from the First Division.

Similarly, no clubs will be relegated from the First Division but two will go up from the Second Division.

Scotland's longest serving manager, Albert Henderson of Arbroath who has been nearly 14 years with the club, has got

the chop and been replaced by long-serving full back Tom Cargill.

Francis van der Elst the Anderlecht and Belgian international striker is on the verge of moving to New York Cosmos for 500,000 pounds.

Rudy Krol of Ajax may move to Vancouver Whitecaps once the Dutch team gets over its European Cup commitments.

Seven of Afghanistan's national soccer team recently "defected" to the West in protest against the Russian invasion and occupation of their country.

The seven, including the captain, escaped across the border to Pakistan disguised

as tribesmen. One of them said: "We were told we were to play matches in Russia and were frightened we would be shot if we refused."

The seven are in Frankfurt where they plan to ask political asylum.

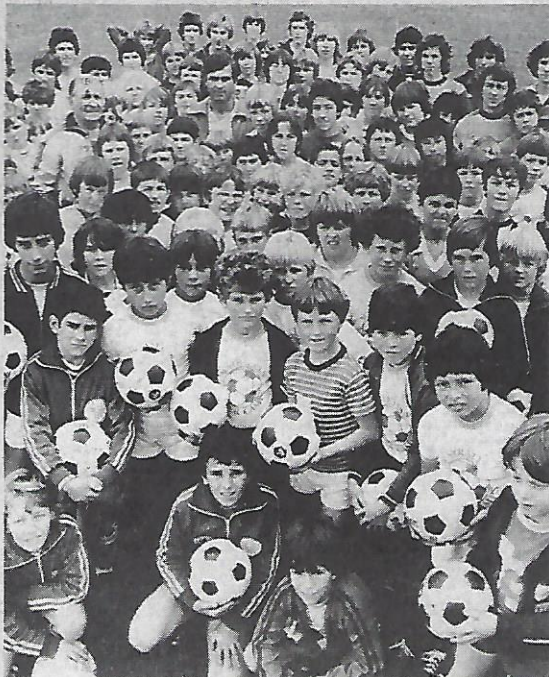
Following England's 2-0 win over Spain in Barcelona Kevin Keegan rejected the chance to become the richest player in the world when he turned down a two-year contract from Barcelona worth two million pounds. Keegan refused to break his promise to join Southampton on July 1.

\$2.5m. move by Cruyff

John Cruyff has moved from the Low Alcazes Aztecs to the Washington Diplomats, owned by Madison Square Garden Corporation, who also own the New York Rangers ice hockey team in the National Hockey League. The Diplomats finished second to the New York Cosmos in the National Conference, Eastern Division last year with 19 wins and 11 defeats.

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Avala beats Croatia, Melita holds lead

NSW State League

Avala took both points from a rather disorganised Croatia in a 3-2 win at Knight Park.

Croatia is not the power side it was last season, but still took the lead in the 15th minute.

Bobby Pegano collected a pass from Wally Savor and cracked in a ten metre shot just under the cross bar.

Avala drew level in the 36th minute when Branko Kodor put a powerful shot through the centre to slip the ball past the advancing Croatia keeper, Steve Watson, into the net.

Branko Kodor put Avala ahead in the 66th minute with a fierce 12 metre shot.

There were thrills galore with only three minutes to go when Peter Ahrens in the 78th minute dropped a cross ball at the feet of Marjan Kovacic who scored easily from close in.

With one minute to go, Zoran Durisic grabbed the winner when he collected a powerful clearance ten metres out and slammed the ball past Watson.

Sydney Olympic won its first match at Pratten Park since it became its home ground 15 months ago with a comfortable 4-0 victory over Manly.

Despite a few shaky moments in defence early, Olympic never looked in danger of defeat after Peter Hensman goalied with a thunderous left foot drive from 30 metres in the 19th minute.

Against the well drilled defence of Olympic, in which Ken Wilson was outstanding, Manly had neither the skill nor power to create clear chances.

In contrast, Olympic moved the ball quickly into the open spaces and always had a player backing up the man with the ball.

Scott and Clive Eaton both missed easy chances from close range before Scott put Olympic further ahead in the 42nd minute from the penalty spot after David Jack had handled the ball.

Eaton atoned for early misses in the 62nd minute when he added the third goal with a spectacular overhead kick and from then on Olympic was in constant attack down both flanks.

Hensman grabbed the fourth goal in the 88th minute.

Melita retained its position at the top of the State League table with a convincing 2-0 victory over Sutherland at Garst Park.

In a fast game of exciting football the young Sutherland side put up a great performance, contesting every ball against its more experienced opponents.

The midfield pair of John Stoddart and Ray Farrugia again were the destroyers for Melita, opening many gaps in the Sutherland defence.

Don Allan opened his account for the season when in the 23rd minute he scored from 12 metres to give Melita the lead.

With one minute to half time, Ritchie Williams put Melita further ahead with a superbly executed header.

He positioned himself well to take a pass from winger Steve Jones to give the goalkeeper no chance to save with his sliding header.

With seven minutes to go Ritchie Williams broke through again but his 50 metre cannonball shot hit the post with the goalkeeper well beaten.

The team went through the 1978 season without loss and, in 1979, David Kamasz was the North's leading goal-scorer in the first division.

A forward with dazzling speed and considerable ball control, David Kamasz was born in Leeds on August 22, 1957 but came to Australia at an early age. He had a spell with Middlesbrough, gaining experience and polishing his natural skills.

FOOTNOTE: The only Newcastle team defeated in the Northern State League was Weston Bears — the team with which the three Kamasz brothers began their soccer in Australia.

State League details

Sydney Olympic 4 (Hensman 2, Scott, Eaton) Manly 0 at Pratten Park. Crowd: 2745.

Avala 3 (Karnifilovski, Kodor, Durisic) Croatia 2 (Pegano, M. Kovacic) at Knight Park. Crowd: 2818.

Canterbury Marwickville 2 (Williams 2) Arncliffe Scots 0 at Seymour Show Park. Crowd: 247 Melita 2 (Allan, Williams) Sutherland 0 at Garst Park. Crowd: 2890.

Auburn 5 (Rees 3, McDonald, Dobson) Bankstown 1 (Thompson) at Manly Park. Crowd: 457.

Manero 1 (Noble) Parramatta City 1 (Stephenson) at Queneberry. Crowd: 709.

Kurrigal 3 (Geekin, Smith, Hurren) North Sydney 0. Crowd: 201.

	W	D	L	F	A	P
Olympic	4	1	0	12	4	9
Melita	4	1	0	10	2	9
Avala	3	1	1	11	7	8
ACRiffa	2	2	1	13	7	8
Canterbury	2	1	2	7	5	5
Avala	2	1	2	6	5	5
Sutherland	1	3	1	4	4	5
Croatia	1	2	2	7	4	5
Kurrigal	1	2	2	7	4	5
Bankstown	1	2	2	9	13	4
Manero	1	2	2	7	11	4
Manero	0	3	2	2	6	3
N. Sydney	1	1	3	4	10	3
Manly	0	2	3	4	10	2

	P	W	D	L	F	A	P
Blacktown	6	4	2	0	9	2	10
Sydney City	5	3	1	1	8	6	7
Polonia	6	3	1	2	18	13	7
Marconi	5	3	1	1	10	7	7
Revelry	6	2	3	1	9	11	7
Leichhardt	6	2	2	1	18	7	6
Unit of NSW	5	3	0	2	12	4	6
Bathurst	6	2	2	2	6	6	6
Makelonia	3	2	1	0	5	2	5
Blacktown Utd	2	0	3	5	7	4	4
Pennrith	6	2	0	4	7	16	4
St. George	4	1	1	2	4	7	3
Balmora	4	1	2	4	10	3	3
Yugol	5	0	1	4	3	15	1
Warragah	6	0	0	6	2	17	1

FIRST DIVISION: Leichhardt v Polonia 2-3, Balmora v Warragah 2-1, St. George v Marconi 1-5, Unit of NSW v Revelry 1-1, Blacktown City v Pennrith 2-1, Wollongong United v S.S.C. 2-1, Blacktown United v Bathurst 7-1, Sydney City v Bye.

2ND DIVISION: North Bankstown v Campbelltown City 3-3, Guildford County v Leichhardt 3-2, Leichhardt Rangers v Wyn 0-1, Lane Cove United v Yagobee 1-1.

3RD DIVISION: Ararat v West 1-0, Riverton v West 1-0, Warragah 0-0, Liverpool Albion v North Ryde 1-1.

4TH DIVISION: Eastern Creek v Fairfield 1-1, Fairfield v Fairfield 1-1, Fairfield v Fairfield 1-1, Fairfield v Fairfield 1-1, Fairfield v Fairfield 1-1.

5TH DIVISION: Edmond Park v Macquarie 1-1, Macquarie v Macquarie 1-1, Macquarie v Macquarie 1-1, Macquarie v Macquarie 1-1, Macquarie v Macquarie 1-1.

6TH DIVISION: Blacktown Wanderers v Hawkesbury United 1-1, Mount Pritchard v Liverpool Rangers 0-3, Chullera v Glenquarie United 0-1, Liverpool City v South Sydney City 0-1, Liverpool United v Green Valley United 1-1, Bankstown Sports v Moorebank 2-3.

Soccer gains in U.S.

A Southern Californian Soccer team coach now in Newcastle has exploded the widely held Australian belief that American youngsters are keen only about baseball and gridiron football.

He states there are more than four million young Americans now playing soccer.

The coach is Jim Neumann, who is in charge of a party of 55 Southern Californian high school boys and girls who are in Newcastle to play soccer and tennis.

The tour, which lasts a fortnight, is sponsored by the US Cultural Exchange and Sports Society.

Neumann said American parents had become increasingly disenchanted with grid iron football because of the heavy physical toll it took on its players and more and more of them were encouraging their sons — and daughters — to play soccer.

"The growth since 1970 has been astounding," said Neumann. "The National Junior Association figures show that there are many more than four million youngsters now playing the game."

In thousands Oaks, a Californian city of some 30,000, there are more than 6000 youngsters playing soccer and that is more than are playing gridiron."

The recent annihilation of West Adelaide by Sydney City highlighted a new trend in Australian soccer, imported from England.

This is the move to a playing formation of 4-4-2.

This formation is the one used by super team Liverpool and being copied by numerous other English teams, including second-placed First Division side, Manchester United.

This formation first emerged in 1966 when Sir Alf Ramsey's so-called "wingsless wonders" won the World Cup for England at Wembley.

Many English teams, predictably, followed suit, which caused a decline of wingers in England and brought an outcry that the Ramsey system was defensive "anti-soccer".

Most teams then reverted to the system, using three men up front, sometimes with two wingers, sometimes with only one, and sometimes with three roving strikers, none of whom really could be classed as a winger.

But with the success of Liverpool, more and more teams are using the 4-4-2 formation.

As I sat in the grandstand at Marika Field, Sydney, watching an inept West Adelaide defence aiding the gifted City to tear them apart, I heard one fan say that this was the "new" soccer.

"I saw it in England. You don't need wingers, it's the new soccer. Chalki wouldn't know what it is about," the fellows said.

I looked at my neighbour — "New? I saw it in England 14 years ago," I said.

On the same day that City was blasting in its seven goals, a little way off, at Lambert Park, Heidelberg, United, using a similar formation with Paton and Cole up front, was putting five goals past APIA's Greg Woodhouse.

PAUL MOON profiles the Kiwi Lions

The second Kiwi to join Brisbane Lions this season, Johan Verweij celebrated his first game in the PSF with a goal and a display that indicates he may well develop as one of the leading strikers in the National League.

Born in Christchurch of Dutch parents, Verweij represented the South Island at schoolboy level before joining Christchurch United as a 16-year-old.

In his first year with the club he not only made his debut with their Rothmans' National League team but was a member of United's junior team which won the National Youth Cup.

Despite being unable to gain a regular place in Christchurch's star-studded first team, Verweij was chosen for the New Zealand team which won the Oceania Youth Tournament in Tahiti.

The gangling striker still played reserve team football in 1975 but his ability did not go unnoticed and he was called up for national under-21 selection.

Desperate to play in the national league, a move across the city to New Brighton followed. Initially this proved successful

Verweij: year at Feyenoord

as the "Seasideers" had one of their best seasons.

Displaying great skill and enterprise Verweij gained recognition as a striker of vast potential, despite being handicapped by lack of stamina common for players of Verweij's age and physique.

With Verweij surprisingly pushed back into midfield, New Brighton endured a horrific season during 1978 which ended with their relegation.

Carefully appraising his career he, along with friend and New Brighton teammate Richard Wilson, decided to travel overseas in order to gain valuable experience.

The pair spent a year with top Dutch club Feyenoord during which they learned more than they probably would absorb in a lifetime in New Zealand.

McNaughton: unsung but top class

While the Australian press was devoting many column inches to Richard Wilson, Johan Verweij, Duncan Cole and their contract difficulties, another Kiwi slipped into PSF action virtually unnoticed.

Brisbane Lion Mark McNaughton quickly has established himself as one of the season's most exciting newcomers and looks likely to realise the promise which, for the most part, was disappointingly untapped in New Zealand.

McNaughton was something of a child prodigy, appearing for the South Island under 12 team in 1967 and representing the Island at subsequent age group levels right through to 1972.

He joined his home town club, Christchurch United, straight from school and was a member of the team which won the 1973 National Youth Cup. His debut in the Rothmans' National League came in the same year.

The following season saw McNaughton as a permanent fixture on United's substitute bench, coming on as replacement in eight games, starting in none.

Naturally discontented, a further National Youth Cup winners' medal was inadequate compensation. Although contemplating a move, he was persuaded to stay with Christchurch and was rewarded with league championship and

Cup winners' medals during the 1975 campaign.

Coming on as substitute in extra time, McNaughton scored the goal which clinched an exciting New Zealand Cup final win over Blockhouse Bay, after the Cantabrians had been two goals down.

Now gaining the attention of the national selectors, he was chosen for the under-21 team which beat Indonesia 3-1.

Also included in the young Kiwis' line up were three other names familiar to Australian soccer fans — Richard Wilson, Glenn Dodds and Johan Verweij.

Now renamed Trans Tours United after a sponsorship deal, it included him only spasmodically in its line-up during 1978.

On one of the rare occasions he was required to play a full 90 minutes, United gained its third successive Cup final success with a 4-0 eclipse of Eastern Suburbs, McNaughton netting the third goal.

Interestingly three other members of the Canterbury club's victorious team are now playing in the PSF — Phil Dando and Roy Drinkwater of Newcastle KB United and Bill Amey of Blacktown City. A fourth, Ian Park, appeared for Brisbane Lions in 1977.

McNaughton was now a permanent fixture in the under-21 line-up and in 1977 was, at last, able to establish himself in TTU's first team.

The stocky striker played for a full 90 minutes in all 22 league games and finished the season as leading goalscorer.

Formations and styles of play will vary but the No. 1 factor in winning games is the players.

It was terrible defence by west Adelaide players not to provide themselves with cover against such a good attacking team as Sydney City.

On the other hand, the brilliant turn to beat a defender by Boden and his delicate chip to the feet of his dual striking mate, Terry Smith, is something that has nothing to do with formation.

It has to do with skill, polished by years of practise and experience.

The chip was so good and left Smith so close to goal with so much room, that he was able to mislead his shot and still score.

Success is usually mimicked and it is likely that more Australian teams will choose the 4-4-2 formation in coming weeks, if only because it is one way to combat it.

MIKE JOHNSON

Who said playing with two men up front is defensive? Of course it isn't.

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The 4-4-2 formation does not guarantee success, any more than does the 3-4-3 formation that can be used to oppose it.

These are the formations used respectively by Norwich and NSW (under Rudi Gutendorf) when NSW had its memorable victory against the tourists last year.

Returning to New Zealand far wiser and much stronger, Verweij rejoined his original club New Brighton in the title of Trans Tours United and quickly established himself as the leading young striker in the country.

A superb display against Australia clinched his place in New Zealand's squad for its world tour last year.

Verweij was an outstanding success, particularly in the British portion of the tour, during which both he and Richard Wilson were invited to the English Second Division club Charlton Athletic.

Athletic's manager, Andy Nelson, envisaged Verweij as a replacement for England "B" striker Mike Flanagan who a few months earlier had joined Crystal Palace for \$1,300,000.

Realising that a career in England would jeopardise his chances of appearing for New Zealand in the World Cup, Verweij declined and instead signed for Brisbane Lions.

At 6'4" tall, Verweij, not surprisingly is very powerful in the air, but also extremely mobile on the ground and should form a perfect foil for his nuggety fellow countryman Mark McNaughton.

Should Verweij maintain his form, the Lions attack will certainly roar this season!

Nominated as Player of the Year, McNaughton now seemed on the verge of all international honours. Unfortunately it was not to be.

Injuries, loss of form and a change of coach at ITU marred a season in which the Christchurch club gained yet another league championship.

Before these traumas however McNaughton had the honour of playing a significant role in TTU's 2-2 draw with England "B" — the best result yet achieved by a New Zealand club side against overseas opposition.

Determined now more than ever to move away from ITU he sacrificed a lucrative job working at a Trans Tours owned hotel to join Nelson United.

Homey little Nelson, a provincial club with limited potential, was coached by Doug Moore who had gained McNaughton's admiration while in charge of the national under-21 combination.

The decision proved a mistake. Nelson languished in mid-table and, surrounded by mediocre players, McNaughton suffered a frustrating season.

Moore, who once was on the short list to coach the now defunct Sydney Western Suburbs, was lured away to an Auckland club, leaving his striker disillusioned and disheartened.

Realising that New Zealand offered little opportunity for him to fulfil his obvious potential, McNaughton was delighted to be given the opportunity to further his career in Brisbane.

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RISTOVSKI'S BACK!



Victorian State League with Craig MacKenzie

Gloom continued descending over Slavia and Altona when both teams crashed again at the weekend.

Makedonia and Croatia are not having things all their own way and the Juventus revival continued in a high scoring encounter at Olympic Park No. 2.

Croydon proved its fighting qualities while Frankston cruised to a three goal win. The highlight of the round was the return of Mendo Ristovski to the parks of the State League where he was last seen in action in 1978.

He transferred from Hellas in a \$10,000 deal. Finally, there was joy at George Cross where the visitors grabbed a point from more fancied rival Green Gully Ajax.

The 1980 State League is shaping as a nightmare for the punters but a constant source of surprise and entertainment for the fans flocking back to the league.

SUNSHINE 1 (D. Nelson) WESTERN SUBURBS 2 (John Daperis, Adamgikis)

SUNSHINE: Contini - Singleton, Ellis, Mussel, McRobert - Laine, R. Nelson (Sub. Coyle 75th) Scarlett (sent off 65th) - D. Nelson, Pocock, McNally.

WESTERN SUBURBS: Mitani - Kypridis (Sub. Adamgikis) Jeworicki, Glykolas, Daplis - Jim Daperis, John Daperis (sent off 87th) Kupisz, J. Christodoulis (Sub. N. Christodoulis) - Kypros, Theodoridis.

Western Suburbs opened ill at ease against a Sunshine team bent on picking up from where it left off against George Cross.

VOTES

Votes for the General Tourist best player award:

Sunshine v Western Suburbs

3 - Glykolas (WS)

2 - Ellis (S)

1 - Theodoridis (WS)

Frankston v Altona

3 - Parton (F)

2 - Whyte (A)

1 - Buchanan

Hakoah v Slavia

3 - Baker (H)

2 - Gibson (H)

1 - Pye (S)

Croydon v Makedonia

3 - Brown (C)

2 - Faulkner (M)

1 - Spinks (C)

Croatia v Juventus

3 - Curcio (U)

2 - Tront (U)

1 - Heery (U)

Ajax v George Cross

3 - Murray (A)

2 - Paparaz (GC)

1 - Blazic (GC)

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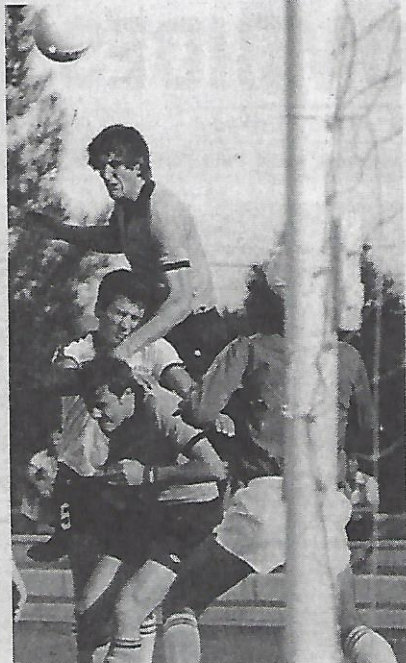
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Sunshine's Steve Ellis gets high above Western Suburbs' Mike Glykolas and Dave Nelson of Sunshine to head towards Wests goalkeeper Alex Mitani. Picture by DALE MANN

Then Baysiders assumed control, with Bill Buchanan and Willie Coulson gaining the upper hand in midfield. Former central defender Bob Adams was seen in a new role as central striker.

This was not as strange as it seems for Adams holds the club goal-scoring record, having knocked in 27 goals in one season.

Altona had been happy with a 0-0 scoreline at half time but was unprepared for what was to follow.

In the 65th minute a teasing Coulson free kick was curled behind the Altona defence to the onrushing Kevin Wall who glanced a brilliant header past Altona keeper Hans van der Poel.

Five minutes later Coulson again figured prominently in a Frankston break on the left. He played a through ball to Bruce Young who crossed to Wall once more, and his header again flashed past the helpless Altona keeper.

The one shining light in this dismal Altona display was Billy Whyte who created so much trouble for the Frankston back four that coach Nigel Bevis was forced to tag Whyte for the remainder of the game.

Altona had little option but to open up in an attempt to reduce its two goal deficit.

The speed of Young caused problems for Altona and in the 89th minute the flying winger beat three players and shot against the post.

Following up, Young collected the rebound and squared the ball to Adams who tapped in the killer goal.

Wilson is well aware of the player problems besetting the Altona team, and is no longer prepared to give away players of quality without a struggle.

Wilson said "We can't afford to allow players of note to dictate to us."

"We need people like Peter

a long clearance by Hakoah's David Baker. Substitute Ian McNeill ran through and shot from about 18 yards.

It seemed the ball would clear the cross-bar and this may have deceived the young keeper, whose half-hearted attempt saw the ball slip out of his grasp and lob gently into goal.

CROYDON 1 (Whyllie) MAKEDONIA 2 (Faulkner, McMillan)

CROYDON: Edwards - Spinks, Pongho, McCombe, Brown - Smith, Doornenbal, Brogan, Murphy - Foreyth, Whyllie.

MAKEDONIA: Kastner - Rainey, Flavell, Higham, Beech - Faulkner, Penney (sent off 75th) Lucchesi - Cullen, McMillan, Ward.

Makedonia failed to give a polished display in this fore-runner to its big clash with Croatia.

Both coaches described the game as scrappy. Players seemed unable to adjust to the poor surface.

Croydon's Mark Brown was given the task of keeping Makedonia's brilliant winger, Robert Cullen, in check.

Brown gave an outstanding display, albeit that Cullen did not receive the service that his fine play deserves.

The half time score of 1-1 was a fair indication of the early struggle.

Croydon struck first when Jim Whyllie sent a long through ball from the half-way line and gave Preston keeper Lou Kastner little chance.

The Preston reply came from Jeff Faulkner who received the ball after two wall passes, side-stepped keeper Mick Edwards and coolly slot home.

Croydon must take credit for never allowing Makedonia to settle.

The Croydon back four stood up to the revitalised Makedonia team and George McMillan was unable to break clear of Steve McCombe.

But in a strange twist of fate the decisive goal was a repeat of last year's fixture, yet the result was reversed.

The one time McMillan released some steam, he unleashed a pile-driver that skinned the top of Alan Pongho's head and rocketed into the top corner of the Croydon goal.

A point would have been a fairer result in terms of the effort and pressure that Croydon exerted.

CROATIA 4 (Tront, Gilder, Mitten, Cumming, JEVENTUS 3 (Ristovski, McGuinness, Heery)

CROATIA: Blasby - Short, Kokoska, Gardiner, Blaver - Tront, Klerin, Murphy - Cumming, Gilder, Mitten.

JEVENTUS: Reilly - Sabadin, Baravelli, Nelson, Curcio - Heery, Crino, Sabidussi - Ristovski, McGuinness, Gillen.

New signing Mendo Ristovski graced Olympic Park No. 2. Oval with a goal from his first effective touch of the ball.

Two goals in 10 minutes shocked Croatia's Bobby McGulgan added to Ristovski's great start by breaking from the half way line, skinning John Gardiner and giving Croatia keeper Peter Blasby no chance.

McGuinness almost put the issue beyond doubt when he again broke clear only to clash with Blasby and miss a tremendous opportunity.

Croatia stormed back into this thrilling game when Joe Tront, pushing up from the field, volleyed a crashing shot past helpless Jack Reilly in the Juve goal.

Shortly after Tommy Cumming took a free kick and

aimed for a Carl Gilder flick on Noel Mitten.

Whether Gilder got the flick or not is unclear but goal ace Mitten celebrated his return to the first eleven with a decisive header.

Croatia took the lead after Gilder had slipped his marker in midfield, passed to Cumming who dummed and then ran back onto the ball, finally shooting from the edge of the area and scoring past Reilly who was slow to get down.

Essendon extended its lead immediately after the restart when Cumming ran onto a long through ball and tucked away number four.

Juventus bounced straight back and three minutes later, midfielder Tony Heery met a fine Ristovski cross and brought the game to life with a precise header.

GREEN GULLY 1 (Morrey) GEORGE CROSS 1 (Paparaz)

GREEN GULLY: Dony - Barnett, Patten, Smart, Crilly - Vojtek, Turner, Vassallo - Hogben, Beller, Morrey.

GEORGE CROSS: Graham - Cutajar, Blazic, Wilkinson, Aquilina (sent off 70th) - Moray, Hooper, Dea - Mirak (sub Viti 75th) Mizzl, Paparaz.

George Cross stunned Green Gully with a spirited display in the Maltese derby before a large crowd.

Cross kicked the ball anywhere in an effort to defend and the match was marred as a spectacle by long high balls that cut out any hope of either midfield building up play.

Green Gully was first to strike when Bill Morrey unleashed a blistering free kick that left Hugh Graham caught unaware in the George Cross goal.

Billy Vojtek could have sealed the games when he broke clear with just the keeper to beat.

Amazingly, Vojtek tried to place the ball inside the near post and the advancing Graham, but was fooled by the base of the goal post when he should have made no mistake.

A fine lead-up by the inspiring Tony Castelli ended when the elusive Jim Paparaz glanced a precise header past keeper Lou Dony for a well deserved equaliser.

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Culina seeks move

Branko Culina (pictured) has asked Essendon Croatia for a transfer.

Culina, 22, was among Croatia's best players in the opening round 1-1 draw with Western Suburbs yet was dropped for last Sunday's match with Juventus. Mick Klarin took his place.

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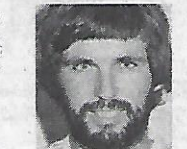
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SELECTIONS



This week's guest tipster is Croatia coach John Gardiner (pictured). When asked to select the winners of the Croatia - Makedonia clash, John replied, "You've got to be joking, 'John's other selections with likely winners in capitals."

JEVENTUS V Western Suburbs at Gillon Oval, Sunday, 3 pm.

Hakoah V Croydon (draw) at Middle Park, Sunday, 3 pm.

Altona V SLAVIA at Kim Reserve, Sunday, 3 pm.

George Cross V FRANKSTON at Olympic Park No. 2, Sunday, 3 pm.

GREEN GULLY V Sunshine At Green Gully Reserve, Sunday 3 pm.

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WAVERLEY WINS 14-1

Victorian Women's Soccer Association, results round one: Division one: Hellas 2 Greensborough A 0, Ringwood Utd 1 Waverley 14, Dandenong 5 Broadmeadows 0, Springvale 7 Footscray 6.

Division Two: Chadstone 5 Knox City 0, Monash 2 Heidelberg Utd 1, Werribee 1 Watsonia 1. All Suburbs v Greensborough B postponed.

State training was held on April 12 at 2.15

pm at John Hemmings Memorial Park, Princes Highway, Dandenong.

The training will continue at the above venue and time and is open to all VWSA members.

Practice matches have been arranged for Wednesday nights, the first kicking off at 7.30 pm against Springvale at Ross Reserve, Noble Park, April 23rd. Spectators are welcome.



YOUTH REPORT

from

COCA-COLA BOTTLERS



NOT EVEN CHARLTON COULD STOP TOMBIDES

By LAURIE SCHWAB



LEIF JENSEN

Too many boys lack dedication

It is often said that Australia lacks good coaches of world standard. I don't quite believe this to be correct. I am more inclined to think that we don't have enough players with the proper attitude to coaching or the game in general.

Having a good coach helping you is half the game, but I firmly believe that attitude is the other half. While a coach can inspire you, the positive attitude has to come from inside yourself.

A coach can point out and demonstrate the different principles of play but if a player works with a negative attitude he is not going to gain much (if anything) from a coaching session.

I see a lot of players who just go out to practice and play. They don't say, "This is what I want to achieve today". A player should always have an objective in mind before he goes to practice.

Your coach usually will provide you with the objective for your training session, so if you work hard on this objective, you're always learning and improving. One of the main precepts for a player is that he wants to learn.

If you come to training sessions with an attitude to learn,

to implement your learning in games, to use your imagination, you will help yourself incredibly.

I think that a player has to accept the reality that he is responsible for himself and everything he does. Passing a ball accurately or taking the ball off an opponent are the player's responsibilities, not the coach's, nor his teammates'.

The player himself determines whether he plays badly or well. He also is obliged, with the help of his club coach, to work hard on correcting any deficiencies in his game, so that he may perform better in his next match.

A youth often hear it said: "Think positive," and if you add on to this saying, "Do positive," then you will be achieving something worthwhile. Let us call the two combined "POSITIVE REINFORCEMENT".

More about "positive reinforcement" next week.

If you want to know how good Paul Tombides is, just ask Bobby Charlton.

The former England and Manchester United Star, who was guest player with Azzurri, was as helpless as his team mates as Tombides drove home two goals against them in the Western Australian Solihart Cup.

With Tombides leading the attack, Kingsway Olympic beat Charlton's Azzurri 4-1.

Olympic went on to win the Cup unbeaten and Tombides became top scorer of the series (formerly the Ampol Cup), with 12 goals in nine games.

He scored in every match except the final, which Olympic won 2-0 against Gosnells City.

It was the beginning of what should be a great year for Tombides, who turns 19 on April 22.

He will tour Europe with the Australian youth squad about November, and he hopes on that tour to clinch a place in the first eleven for the Coca-Cola World Youth Championships to be played in Australia next year.

Tombides joined Kingsway Olympic in 1969 and played centre half for the under 10 team in his first season, before being converted into a forward.

His best goalscoring season was 1974, when he hit 56 goals for the Olympic under 14s.

He developed so quickly that he was promoted to the senior team at the age of 16. He thus followed in the footsteps of his older brother Steve, 20, who has been in the Olympic first team since he was 14.



Paul Tombides

Paul represented Western Australia from under 13 to under 19 levels. He was equal top scorer in the under 13 national championships, which Western Australia won by beating NSW 1-0 in the final.

Western Australia also won the national under 14 title, with Paul the overall top scorer, but the State had less luck last year when it finished runner up to Victoria in the national youth championships in Melbourne.

Former national coach Joe Vlasits recommended Tombides to Rudi Gutendorf who was putting together a squad for the World Youth Championship qualifying matches in late 1978.

Paul played trial matches against Vardar Skopje and Hertha Zehlendorf of West Berlin, and was good enough to be included in the final squad that went to New Zealand.

where he made one appearance as a substitute.

He was recalled for the next round, in Paraguay, but had to decline because he was doing a Bachelor of Business course.

"I've completed more than half of that course now, so it will no longer effect my availability to the national squad," he said this week.

Tombides returned to the youth training camp in Sydney early this year. He was there four days and scored both goals in a 2-0 victory over a NSW State League team.

"I'm confident I can make it into the final team for next year. If I'm given the chance," he said.

"As for our chances in the championship, all I can say is that anything's possible under Rudi Gutendorf. He's achieved some remarkable results so far, and there's no reason we shouldn't go on with it."

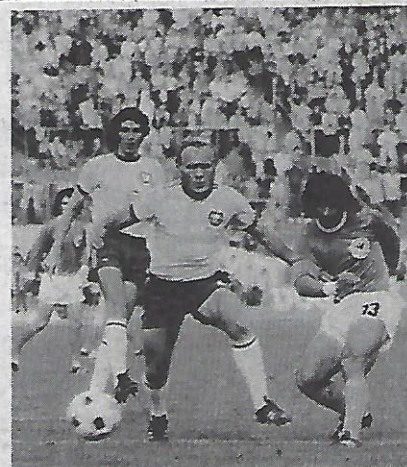
Tombides would like to play in the Philips League after he has finished his studies in two years' time.

He already has spoken to West Adelaide.

"I have friends in Melbourne, so I've also spoken with officials of the State League club Preston Macedonia," he said.

Meanwhile, Tombides is set for a high-scoring season in the Western Australian State League.

He notched six league goals and three in the Cup last season, in about 14 games. Top scorer in the league, Dave Fidoe of Dalmatinac, managed only 13.



Manfred Schaefer in action against Gerd Mueller (right) in the 1974 World Cup game Australia v West Germany.

Schaefer, Richards at Warren academies

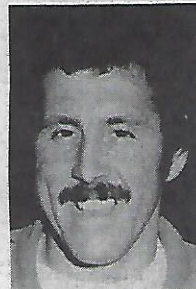
The Johnny Warren Soccer Academy has assembled an impressive array of talent for its forthcoming academies.

Ray Richards, Les Scheinflug, Manfred Schaefer, Jim Adam and Bruce Stowell form a coaching staff with a high level of expertise.

Venues for the academies are Edsac Stadium on the Central Coast, Trinity Grammar at Summer Hill, St. Patrick's College, Strathfield, and the Marconi Oval.

The Marconi academy will be supervised by Les Scheinflug, assisted by top Marconi players.

The personalised nature of the courses calls for small group tuition with prizes and discount offers available.



Ray Richards — man of the long throw.

Academy for boys 6 to 11 years will be from May 4 to 9 and for boys from 12 to 16 years from May 12 to 16.

More information is available on 31 1409.

Europe narrows to 15 for world titles

Fifteen national youth teams will qualify to compete in the world titles in Australia after a series of preliminary games held by respective world-wide confederations during 1980 and early 1981.

The UEFA Confederation currently is conducting its elimination series and the six countries chosen to compete in Australia will be known on May 25, 1980.

The CONCACAF, African and Asian Confederations, will have finalised their elimination series by November 1980 and CONMEBOL (including Oceania and Israel) results will be known by the end of March, 1981.

Thirty European countries entered for the 1980 UEFA International Youth Tournament which is the preliminary elimination series for the Coca-Cola Cup qualifiers.

The top 15 teams will compete in the final elimination matches. These matches will be held in East Germany and the East German Youth team qualifies as the host nation.

The results of the preliminary games are as follows:

Group 1: Rep Ireland 2 Belgium 1, Belgium 2 France 3, France 2 Rep. Ireland 0, France 2 Belgium 0, Rep. Ireland 1 France 1, Belgium 0 Rep. Ireland 0.

Qualified — FRANCE

Group 2: N. Ireland 2 Wales 0, Wales 0 N. Ireland 0.

Qualified — ZN. IRELAND

Group 3: Norway 1 Sweden 1, Sweden 1 Norway 4.

Qualified — NORWAY

Group 4: Iceland 1 Finland 3, Finland 0, Iceland 2.

Qualified — FINLAND

Group 5: Holland 2 Scotland 1, Scotland 2 Holland 1.

Qualified — HOLLAND (6-5 on penalties)

Group 6: Denmark 1 England 3, England 4 Denmark 0.

Qualified — ENGLAND

Group 7: Luxembourg 1 W. Germany 5, W. Germany 6 Luxembourg 1.

Qualified — W. GERMANY

Group 8: Portugal 3 Malta 0, Malta 0 Portugal 3.

Qualified — PORTUGAL

Group 9: Spain 3 Switzerland 0, Switzerland 0 Spain 2.

Qualified — SPAIN

Group 10: Italy 5 Austria 1, Austria 1 Italy 1.

Qualified — ITALY

Group 11: Poland 5 Cyprus 0, Cyprus 0 Poland 1.

Qualified — POLAND

Group 12: Bulgaria 2 Czechoslovakia 1, Czechoslovakia 1 Bulgaria 1.

Qualified — BULGARIA

Group 13: Greece 1 Hungary 0, Hungary 3 Greece 1.

Qualified — HUNGARY

Group 14: USSR 0 Yugoslavia 2, Yugoslavia 2 USSR 0.

Qualified — YUGOSLAVIA

Group 15: Turkey 0 Romania 1, Romania 3 Turkey 0.

Qualified — ROMANIA

The final eliminations and the winner of the UEFA Youth International will come from four groups. Details as follows:

GROUP A: Spain, Italy, Norway, Hungary.

GROUP B: Bulgaria, E. Germany (qualified as host country), Holland, France.

GROUP C: Romania, Finland, Poland, W. Germany.

GROUP D: N. Ireland, England, Yugoslavia, Portugal.

Group matches to be played on May 16, 18 and 20.

Winning team from each group will play semi-finals on May 23 at Halle and Gera (towns near Leipzig). Third and fourth place play-off and final match both to be played (1 pm and 3 pm) in the stadium of club side Lokomotive Leipzig on May 25.

The top six countries will represent UEFA

CROWD WATCH.... a new feature

Philips League round six attendance: 28,896.

Corresponding figures in past seasons: 1979 - 45,014, 1978 - 26,380, 1977 - 36,510.

Attendance breakdowns:

			1979	1978	1977	(0-0)
Marconi v. Footscray	(2-2)	5666	4800 (0-0)	3000 (1-2)	5200 (1-0)	
St. Geo. v. Adel. C.	(1-4)	3264	1700 (0-2)	2452 (2-1)	1338 (0-2)	
H'Berg v. Bris. C.	(3-1)	3200	6000 (0-0)	3000 (1-0)	4200 (3-2)	
Brisb. L. v. Syd C.	(2-0)	3114	2000 (1-2)	3000 (1-1)	4988 (0-4)	
W. Adel. v. Blacktown	(4-2)	3100		(0-0)	(0-0)	
Sth Melb v. APIA	(1-0)	3500	12000 (1-2)	(0-0)	(0-0)	
Newsc v. Can.	(0-4)	7052	8259 (0-2)	9057 (3-0)	(0-0)	

NOTE: Where no official attendance figures are released, the figures are estimates by "Soccer Action" correspondents.



West Adelaide's first goal against Blacktown — a shot by Manecas (not in picture), which deflected off Bruce Stowell. From left: George Koulianos (striker), Warren Turnbull (goal), Bruce James (goalkeeper), Graeme Harris and Carlos Ortega. Picture by FRANK

Players the casualties in demise of Bendigo

There is bitterness among supporters of Bendigo City, recently withdrawn from the Second Division of the Victorian Provisional League.

In a curious finale to a running battle of claim and counter-claim, the city of Bendigo is left without regular competition with Melbourne clubs.

Bendigo City was formed two years ago as a representative side from the Bendigo League.

Its founder, Stan Hodson, resigned from his position as president of the BL to devote his efforts to the job of secretary with Bendigo City.

Hodson's reign as president encompassed a period during which the BL was the sole Victorian representative in the National Amateur Soccer Association competition.

This body is not affiliated with any federation in Australia and is frowned upon by most federations.

New BL president Ted Ellinghaus was in favour of a VSF suggestion that the league withdraw from NASA and form an amateur league under the auspices of the VSF.

This left Bendigo City out on a limb as it could not use BL players and was not granted permission to operate a permit system similar to the one used previously by the Victorian Industrial League.

The ensuing battle saw the resignation of first, Stan Hodson, then his predecessor, John Nemeth.

Reduced to about a dozen players, Bendigo City was forced to give in.

There are no winners in this conflict, only losers — the young players of Bendigo City who were eagerly awaiting their senior debuts against Melbourne clubs.

Who knows, there might have been a future Australian international among that group of boys, but — who cares? — CRAIG MACKENZIE

Polonia muzzles

Polonia started its 1980 campaign with a polished display against struggling Springvale and shot to the top of the table one step away from the State League.

The biggest winners in the Metro Leagues were Third Division rivals Ringwood United and Frankston Pines, newly promoted from Division Four.

Hugh Murney stuck another feather in his coaching cap when his side, Park Rangers, crushed visitors Bell Park and headed for the spot that the Rangers have become accustomed to in the past two years — the top of the table.

Division Four sees age-old rivals Sandringham and Brighton in first and second spots, closely followed by the vastly improved Mornington, benefitting from the expertise of coach Nick van Egmond.

Borussia beaten

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Brady too literally — all before halftime.

Frank Stapleton was credited with Arsenal's equaliser five minutes from time. His utilities resume in Turin on April 23.

In Nantes, Valencia's Argentine World Cup star Mario Kempes sandwiched a great goal between two by Bruno Baronechi, leaving the French club with a 2-1 lead to take to Spain.

Stuttgart and Bayern Munich took modest home league leads in the UEFA Cup semifinals. Stuttgart beat the holder, Borussia Moenchengladbach 2-1 but does not look capable of holding the lead away.

Harald Nickel put Borussia ahead with 18 minutes to go but eight minutes later, Hermann Ohlicher equalised and a penalty by George Volz nosed Stuttgart to victory with two minutes left.

Bayern Munich got two second-half goals against Eintracht Frankfurt but only 10,000 fans were there to see them.

Dieter Hoernes scored five minutes after the break and captain Paul Breitner made it 2-0 from a penalty spot.

EUROPEAN CUP
In Nottingham: NOTTINGHAM FOREST (England) 2 AJAX AMSTERDAM (Netherlands) 0 (halftime 1-0).

In Madrid: REAL MADRID (Spain) 2 HAMBURG (West Germany) 0 (halftime 0-0).

CUP WINNER'S CUP
In London: ARSENAL (England) 1 JUVENTUS (Italy) 1 (halftime 0-1).

In Nantes: NANTES (France) 2 VALENCIA (Spain) 1.

EUROPEAN FOOTBALL UNION (UEFA) CUP
In Stuttgart: VfB STUTTGART (West Germany) 2 BORUSSIA MOENCHENGADBACH (West Germany) 1 (halftime 0-0).

In Munich: BAYERN MUNICH (West Germany) 2 EINTRACHT FRANKFURT (West Germany) 0 (halftime 0-0).

Second is best bet

From page one

Gutendorf said he was aware of Iraq's excellent international record, including a recent victory against Poland, but that he was encouraged by the fact that Kuwait beat Iraq in their recent Olympic qualifying tournament.

Gutendorf said he was encouraged by the league form of forwards, Gary Cole and Eddie Krnecic and midfielder Ken Boden.

Gutendorf probably will name a 20 or 25-man squad next month for the Coca-Cola World Youth Championships to be played in Australia next year.

He will watch the national under-19 championships in Canberra in May.

VICTORIAN LEAGUES

First Division
SPRINGVALE 1 (Forer) **POLONIA 3 (Lakic, Kryszinski, Gawlik)**
SPRINGVALE: Mur — Robertson, Adam, Christian, Lawler — Gollan, Barca, Smart, Ford, Kent.
POLONIA: Dzielakowski — Rachwalicki, Dimitriou, Herman, Gawlik — Upiarski (sub Horkiniak half time), A. Czapiak, P. Czapiak — Lakic, Kryszinski, Pichner (sub Korskak 76th).

Polonia Maribyrnong started the season in great style when it defeated Springvale 3-1 at Springvale on Saturday. Polonia hit the front in the 33rd minute when a dreadful mix-up between defenders Robertson and Adam saw Brendan Lakic round the Springvale keeper. Mur and cooly slot the ball into the empty net.

Eight minutes after the break, Maribyrnong went further ahead when a through ball found Ted Kryszinski who made no mistake from close range.

In the 70th minute, Lakic was pushed in the Springvale penalty area and centre back Jan Gawlik converted the resultant penalty.

Springvale managed to score a consolation goal ten minutes from the end when a cross from Kent found Forer and his header gave Dzielakowski a chance.

Third Division
YALLOURN 0, COBURG 0
YALLOURN: Duljas, Wilson, Hiriart, Stangbur, Henderson, Costello, Pavlovic, Brown, Gaudi, Lawson, Adrichen. Substitutes: Flanagan, Hiriart, Douglas.
COBURG: Cummins, Scarlett, Jones, Crooke, Stevens, Daly, Malcolm, Jones, Frampton, Deans, Giacome. Substitutes: Bazzano, Bolton, B. Crooke.

Yallourn, looking a well polished side early, had the necessary play to notch a quick goal but the visitors soon solidified their defensive stance.

By far the best chance for the half fell for Gaudi who squandered a golden opportunity in his attempt to round the Coburg goalkeeper, Cummins.

Coburg, through Jones, came within inches of scoring the winning goal with a high leaving header but Duljas was equal to the occasion and pulled off a miraculous fingertip save.

Making their debuts for Coburg were tall forward Michael Giacome, from South Melbourne, and versatile defenders, Paul Scarlett and Karl Stevens, both from Hakoah St Kilda.

Best players: Yallourn: Gaudi, Wilson, Brown. Coburg: Jones, Frampton, Daly.

Fourth Division
KEYSBOROUGH 0 SANDRINGHAM 2 (Antonios, Lewis)

KEYSBOROUGH: J. P. Durand, Caster, J. Durand, Carbon, Easton, Lalouette, S. Durand, Coquet, Toussaint, Chung, E. Lalouette.
SANDRINGHAM: Kennedy, Palmer, Wallace, Harburn, Dillon, Grundy, Thompson, Antonios (sub Merkus H.T.), Levers, Green, Wubb Sheddick 70th, Petropoulos.

Sandringham started season 1980 with two away points and an outstanding performance from sweeper Gerry Wallace.

The visitors killed the game in the space of five minutes of the first half.

Left back Dillon surged forward, playing a series of wall passes before passing to Tony Antonios.

Antonios steadied and rifled a 20-yard shot past the helpless Durand in the Keysborough goal.

The issue was conclusively settled when Sandy midfielder, David Grundy curled a far post ball behind the home side's defence and Paul Lewis tapped it for a simple goal.

Best players: Sandy: Wallace, Thompson, Palmer. Keysborough: S. Durand, Carbon.

MOOROOLBARK 1 (Hassell) **NORTH DANDENONG 1 (Fox)**
MOOROOLBARK opened its 1980 campaign with a hard fought draw at Esther Park against last year's Provisional League runners-up North Dandenong.

A fine through ball from Archie Sheddens, was denied the initial breakthrough by the acrobatics of Norths keeper Garland, who tipped Sheddens shot fractionally over the bar.

A fine through ball from Bakers Kevin Smith enabled team mate Neil Hassell to split the Norths defence and stroke in an easy goal.

The reply came from a free kick four minutes and Graser passed to Gennai, who slammed the ball past the helpless Souths keeper, Ismael Ail.

In the second half, South's defender Peter Cornell slipped as he tried to intercept Gennai and the big centre-forward notched his second.

An unmarked Graser scored number three and Agnolotti rounded off an impressive Buleen performance by latching onto the end of a fine free kick from Turkovic.

It was a shock result for the visitors who held high hopes for a good performance after their success in the opening rounds of the District League Cup.

Division Two
EAST BRUNSWICK 0 HAWKSBUURN 1 (Lazio 67th)
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All three have been full-time professionals in Hong Kong and interested clubs can seek further information from Willie Coulson (726 9273)

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DIVISION III: Regent v MOE UNITED, South Dandenong v SHEPPARTON CITY, MOR-BALLOCH v B. Buteen, FRANKSTON v Boronia, NORTH GEELONG

Sejmesl, Benedek, Szabo, Hegedus, Bulic, Lasanc, Palinkas (Fori 80th), Biro, Bleskany, Lazlo (Oslovakic 80th).

The return of former State representative Steve Bleskany helped newly-promoted Hawksburn to win its first match in Provisional League Second Division.

Another former State player, Joe Szabo, has joined Hawksburn to help it achieve promotion for the third time in as many years.

Division Three
BULLEEN 4 (Gennai 2, Graser, Agnolotti) SOUTH DANDENONG 0.

BULLEEN: Gosper, Schull, Theodore, Prosat, Tamburini, Spadero, Turkovic, Scherian (sub Boorotto), Gennai, Zechin, Agnolotti.

SOUTH DANDENONG: Ail, Skinner, Cornell, Quillemin, J. Romero, Almaraz, Sharp, Amoretti, Saladrigas, M. Romero, Habelin.

Bulleen broke quickly in the first four minutes and Graser passed to Gennai, who slammed the ball past the helpless Souths keeper, Ismael Ail.

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'Soccerettes' seek revenge in NZ

The Australian women's team will tour New Zealand for a return Test series next month.

The three matches of the series will be in Auckland on May 18, Wellington on May 21 and Christchurch on May 24. Australia and New Zealand tied their last Test series in 1979. Australia won 1-0 in Brisbane, lost 0-1 and drew 2-2 in Sydney.

The current Australian squad includes 10 of the players who won two games, drew two and lost one in the Women's World Invitation Tournament in Taiwan in October, 1978.

The squad, coached by Jim Selby and managed by Noeline Stanley, is:

TONI McMAHON N.S.W. (19 years) is short for a goalie and gives the impression of a small blonde's vulnerability, until the ball comes near. Then she has the reactions of a cat and never hesitates to pounce on the ball amid flying boots.

JAMIE ROSMAN N.S.W. (16 years) an up-and-coming player who also made national team at her first time representing her state. A charming schoolgirl with a load of skill and talent.

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score from impossible situations. Judy does not know the meaning of the word defeat. Has been a State Rep for 4 years.

SHARON METELJAN W.A. (23 years) toured Taiwan 1978. A very skilful, fast-off-the-mark winger well known to women's soccer, always gives her best. An asset to any team.

JULIE CLAYTON W.A. (22 years) Another of the Taiwan girls. A skilful, above average midfielder. A strong player quick to defend or attack. Has played for her State 6 times.

SHONA BASS Vlc (22 years) State representative every year since 1974. Aut representative 5 times. Put heart and soul into every game. A physical, educated teacher, always does her best where the team is concerned.

KIM COATES Vlc (22 years) is one of the most thoughtful players in women's soccer. A skilful and strong back. King always where the team is most needed. A survivor of both trips abroad in 1975 and 1978, her mature attitude and judgement have saved many a goalkeeper's hide. Gives everything for the team and is always around when the going gets tough. 6 years state representative.

THERESA JONES Vlc (17 years) A competent and able defender of goal, has been State representative past two years. One of the babies of the team. Theresa fearlessly hurls herself into the game amid determined opposition forwards. First year national player, has plenty of potential.

SUE MONTEATH Qld (22 years) an aggressive defender with tons of ability and plenty of energy. Nicknamed Monty. 3 years State representative and toured Taiwan 1978. Always a force to be reckoned with. A university student.

DIANA HALL S.A. (22 years) The hero of the 1979 N.Z. v Australia Test, having scored the goal that tied the series. Diana is one of the most competent strikers in the game. Completely dedicated and well liked by all.

JIM SELBY (Coach) In 1979 married the captain of the Australian team that toured Taiwan in 1978, he and his wife Connie now have a three-month-old son (James Junior). Jim has been involved in women's soccer for 10 years.

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SOCCER ACTION

From left, back row: Tommy Wilson (capt, joined 1976); Larry Nunn (joined 1980 from White Eagles, 1979 Rothmans Gold Medalist); Steven Kennegelsar (from juniors); Peter Willis (1980 from Newcastle KB Utd.); Philip Kennegelsar (from juniors); Mark Oake (1980 from White Eagles); Ray Mohring (1980 from Croatia); Mick Southworth (1980 from Cessnock, ex-White Eagles).
Front row: John Dilba (ten years service); Dale Blake (1979 from St Mirren); Peter Thompson (from juniors); Kenny Morton (coach, ex-Manchester Utd.); Osale Moore (1979 from Olymple); Jack Dilba (ten years service); Colin Francis (1980 from Matrol).

● Rapid Wrestling Point deservedly is known as Tasmania's premier team. Rapid is the holder of the Ampol Cup and the State League championship. Coach Kenny Morton is a fully certificated English Football Association coach and was with Manchester United at the time former Socceroo Ray Bantz played there. Rapid has a pre-season 1-1 draw with Canberra City to its credit and is pushing for inclusion in the 1981 Philips Soccer League. The club presently fields three senior teams, four junior teams and a ladies' team. Rapid's major honors: League champion 1961, 1964, 1976 State champion 1964, 1976 Ampol Cup Winner 1961, 1974, 1979 State League Champion 1979. It's an impressive array of trophies for a club formed in 1956.

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ZIKA NIKOLIC
"PLAVI" DONELI I ZLATAN BOD IZ SIDNEJA
Pred odlasku u Sidnej u "plavom" taboru je zavladao opasno stanje kao posle zemljotresa ili poplave. Tokom nedelje, na dva poslednja treninga, povredjeni su Kondarios, Ollerton i Rujevic. Bilo je to dovoljno da se da znak za uzbunu. Iz drugog tima su poravnali Acecki, Curovic i Talevski, Curovic je napustio, problem se ogromne. Medjutim, iz administrativnih razloga ova trojica nisu mogli da igraju za Phillips ligu, pa se u Sidnej otpustovalo na veselje. U zadnjem trenutku putnicima se pridruzio i Mirko Rujevic, sto je unelo znacajnu nadu u tmurnu atmosferu. Medjutim, kad se izaslo na igraliste, JUST je igrao nerovno svega 15 minuta, dok je Marconi igrao pod teretom prošlosti. Na ovom igralistu Marconi JUST je bio uvek bolji od domacina, sto se i ovog puta dogodilo. Prema prikazanoj igri i sansama JUST je zaslužio oba boda. Pre drugog gola Denis Boland je bio provredjen, sto sudija nije kaznio, pa je Marconi mogao ubrzo da postigne jefin gol. U drugom poluvremenu je reprezentativni golman Alan Maher spasao Markonija od sigurnog poraza.

EMPATE Y SUSTO PARA MOROCHOS Y CHARRUAS — PERDIERON LOS CHAVALS

HABIA UNA VEZ... UN REFOJOS Y UN INGLES + 2A 0

West Melbourne 2 Mitcham 0

Con el aliento const ante de una hinchada que se hace sentir Los Gauchos ganaron bien el primer compromiso del campeonato

WEST MELBOURNE: CISTE RENA- GARCIA-NAVARRO-MOYANO-CALOMINO-DITTO- RUZ-PACHECO-BRIZZIO-ZARCO-PREYERA-

En el segundo tiempo entraron REFOJOS por DITTO y a los 28' HI MSWORTH por PEREYRA. Goleos son amores, lo todo buenas razones. Ese podría ser el título de un comentario, para un partido que se debería ganar por mas goles. El West Melbourne jugo bi en los primeros 20 minutos del primer tiempo y casi todo el segundo. Dominó, llevo peligro y estuvo mas cerca de la conquista, pero hizo falta que entrara un jugador con vocación de "ganador" y otro con la practicidad del "Ingles". Y eso fue suficiente para desnivelar un resultado que sino hubiese sido un cero a cero. Desde fuera del area con un zurdazo alto REFOJOS marca a los 38 minutos y luego de una gran jugada de CHINO ZARCO recibe en profundidad se va a la raya del fondo y le pone con la mano una pelota a la entrada de ALAN HIMS WORTH, cabeza y a gritar. El resto bien, parejo y con ganas de jugar bien. MOYANO-RUIZ-NAVARRO para destacar. PROXIMA FECHA: Visita contra CHELTENAN S.C. PARKDALE HIGH SCHOOL MORDIALOC- 87- G/8.

Clayton S.C. 2 Hotham United 2

Un partido ganado y el diablo mete la cola. LOS MOROCHOS se olvidaron en los últimos minutos de la vieja formula "toco y espero" y los ESCO secas del CLAYTON roban un punto que no merecian.

HOTHAM UNITED: CHERPI DO-NILO-ORTIZ-ANDRADE-RUBIO-LEIVA-JARALIZ-CELTINICH-FLORES. Cambios, Segundo tiempo MACHUCA por ELIZER. De entrada LOS MOROCHOS hacen la justa, ganan en el medio, pa se en profundidad y a dar susto tras susto a una defensa que se "enloquece" cuando le mostraban la pelota. Llegan los goles, golazo de CETINICH, un numero 9, yu goslovo ex-WILLAMSTON, centro pasado de la izquierda, perfecta diagonal y cabeza zo imparable. El segundo cuando era gol otra vez del numero 9, lo derriban y penal. Lo ejecuta RUBIO y le metio un "fierrazo" impresionante, 2 a 0 a los 15 minutos. Todos esperaban mas, pero el CLAYTON ex-cuarta division, empuja y a los 24 minutos se pone 2 a 1. En el segundo tiempo el referi "ayuda" a los azules e inventa un "carring" que cobra desde 50 metros, VISTA DE AGUILA. 2 a 2. LOS CHILENOS no encuentran el camino y dejan un punto que es castigo. Para des tacar, ORTIZ-JARALIZ-ANDRADE-RUBIO-LEIVA. PROXIMA FECHA: Locales en el nuevo FOR TYN- NORTH MELBOURNE

Yarraleen 1 W. Brunswick 1

Con mucho publico un campo horrible y un rival que las tiraba todas para arriba el equipo CHARRUA, vuel ve a casa con un punto que deberían ser dos.

WEST BRUNSWICK: MARI- NO-VEZZOSO-SUAREZ-GRANDE-NIN-SALVO-RODRIGUEZ-LA GRECA-O. SUAREZ-PAGANI-VILOTTA. Cambios en el segundo tiempo J. GONZALEZ en tra por LAGRECA.

Un partido enredado, jugado a la italiana los jóvenes del YARRALEEN, nada que ver empujones, fuerza, pelotazos y eso a un equipo que esta con ganas de jugar al futbol lo perjudica, los sudamericanos todavia no aprendieron a jugar contra "ese" futbol. LOS CHARRUAS entran en la locura y dejan un punto para pensarlos. Gran trabajo de SALVO-RODRIGUEZ/O. SUAREZ, en el segundo GONZALEZ pone mas fuerza en el medio, pero los italianos siguen tirandolas arriba, empujando y enpatan. Gol hermoso de ALVARO SALVO, pared larga con PAGANI, devolucion, PAGANI la pone por arriba del ultimo defensor y ALVARO RITO, la baja, elude al golero y toca con suavidad. GOLAZO. El resto, bien pero se debiera trabajar en la semana, para encontrarle a vuelta a la division. Para destacar, SALVO-RODRIGUEZ-los dos SUAREZ- PROXIMA FECHA: Locales en el ROYAL PARK frente HAMPTON, equipo ing/sudamerico.

Burnley 1 Brunswick C. 3

Le comimos las unas hasta el vecino por que hasta los 20 minutos del segundo tiempo estabamos para ganar, pero LOS CHAVALS no "ven" a dos hombres claves de los griegos, los numeros 6 y 10 y de jan que atras el 3 y el 2 se "agranden". Asi y en 25 minutos, pierden un partido que estuvo para ellos.

BURNLEY S.C.: LOPEZ F. CALLE GUIMAREY-LOCKEY- OCHOA-LEON-PINAS-J. CALLE-LETRAN-SAZ- En el segundo tiempo sa le LETRAN entra PETER GILL.

Gran partido de OCHOA CALLE los dos, y GUIMAREY a pesar de haber perdido. Parrafo aparte para el portero LOPEZ que cada vez anda mejor. Mucho publico y perder asi, no es bueno, ya que se hizo mucho "gasto" durante todo el primer tiempo y los primeros 20 del segundo. Sin duda en el equipo espanol se noto la ausencia de ORTIZ (suspendido) y ademas deben pensar seriamente por FITZROY si no es hora de buscar un puntero derecho para acompañar a JUAN CALLE, quien es golpeado sin piedad porque siempre va al "frente" solo. Falta gol en los CHAVALS y hay que buscarlo. El equipo esta a punto de ser un "gran" equipo, pero falta otro goleador. Saz y Calle estan solos. PROXIMA FECHA: Visitas en PRIMULA AVE. NORTH ALTONA, frente al ALTONA UNITED

PELIGRO DE GOOOOLL — Oscar Perea



STA JE BILLO SA WESTERN OVALOM? Dnevna stampa vec nekoliko dana pise o odluci VFL da se zabrani zajednicka potreba Western Ovala. Prema njihovom shvatanju Rules i Soccer nemaju nices zajednickog, pa prema tome ne mogu da upotrebljavaju iste igraliste. Posto su u zavrzlamu umesane i opasne vlasti, koje su pravi vlasnici igralista, problem se moze resiti jednostranom odlukom, jer je u pitanju legalan ugovor. Medjutim, jasno je da ce debiji kraj izvuci slabiji, a to je svakako Footscray/JUST. Prema tome, JUST ce morati na brzinu da ponadje novo igraliste. Ako to bude Middle Park, "plavi" ce finansiski mnogo bolje proci, jer Western je preskup za nase pojmove i mogucnosti.

NOVA POBEDA MAKEDONIJE U Croydonu nije bilo lako kao sa Slaviom, ali ni igraliste nije dovoljno da se razvije igra, koja je bi najvise koristila Makedoniji. Ovako se igralo bez cilja i smisla, sto je domacin zeleo, ali mu se nije isplatilo. Makedonija je u zadnjem minutu uspeala da postigne gol, koji joj je doneo dva vazna boda. Vazno je do susreta sa glavnim rivalom Croatiajima ne gubiti uzalud bodove. Croatia je pobedila obilješenjem Juventusa zasluzujući vecem iskustvu. Seriju golova je tvorila ekipa Ristovski, koji je preko nedelje po drugi put promenio sredinu. Juventus je jedini bio spreman da plati visoku cenu, koju je postvalo Hellas.

OSTALI REZULTATI ALTONA GATE — KEILOR/AUSTRIA 0:0. Altona Gate nije zadovoljna sa rezultatom, jer svecano otvaranje novog igralista zelela je da obelezi pobedom, od koje svakako nije bila daleko. Pred 1000 gledalaca razvila se lepa i uzbudljiva igra. Austrija je bila nesto bolja od odnora, cak je pogodila stativu, ali je drugi deo pripao Altoni Gate, iako je igrala sa igračem manje. Jimmy Derusovski je prvi dobio crveni karton na ovom igralistu. Sastav Altona Gate: Chris Dimitrijević, Steto Trajkovski, Jim Derusovski, Vlado Kotovski, Mitre Kraleviski, Cele Presliski, George Scors, Borce Grevski, Vanko Bozinoski, Dusko Mankovski, Sekula Sekulovski (Kire Velja).

FOOTSCRAY/JUST (drugi tim) — DONCASTER ROVERS 1:2 (0:0). Bez 4 ključna igrača (Acecki, Karic, Simic i Belic) "plavi" su pruzili daleko bolju igru nego sto se ocekivalo. U prvom poluvremenu Curovic je pogodio prečku, a Jimmy Kriaric je promisao "alternativu", kad se utakme sanse ne iskoriste obicno se gubi utakmica. Protivnik nije imao pravo sansu. Prvi gol je golman Alvic Vidacic scereno u gol posle kornera, a drugi je pao iz čistog ofsajda. Pred kraja igre, Dusko Atanasovski je smanjio na 2:1.

CARLTON/Srbija 8 University of Melbourne 2:2 (1:2). Protivnik je pripalo poru poluvremu, ali Carlton/Srbija je posle odmora imala dovoljno sansi da pobedi sa velikim rezultatom. Jova Samanovic je pogodio stativu u 74. minutu, a zatim su jaku udarci Ljuba Stojanovica i Mladena Bjelogrića izbijene sa golre. Oba gola je postigao Ljuba Stojanovic u 21. i 54. minutu. Najbolji igrač: Bosko Djordjevic, Vinko Grevski, Vinko Minkovski. U predigri je drugi tim prosao kao Jano na Kosovu. University je pobedila sa 7:2 (2:1). Posacne golove su postigli Zarko Pejckovic i Miroslav Bikicki.

EAST BRUNSWICK — HAWKSBURN 0:1 (0:0). Vatreno krštenje u drugoj provincialnoj ligi Hawksburn je proslavilo zasluženom pobedom protivu iskustnog protivnika, koji je prošle godine bio treci i ovaj ligi. Gol je postigao Istvan Laslo u 62. minutu na majstorski nacin, posto se oslobodio cuvara, izvukao je golmana i pored njega plasirao loptu u mrežu. Povratk Steve Bleskina i prvi nastup reprezentativca Jozefa Sabo doprineli su mnogo pobedi. Uz ovi dvojicu treba pomenuti Jozefa Hegedusa, Dragu Bulica, Ignaca Lasanica i strelca jedinog gola Istvana Lalsa, koji je postigao gol i za rezervu. Iduce subote Kawiks je slobodan, jer se Bendigo povukao iz takmicenja.

CENTRAL ALTONA/sloga 8 ballarat 1:2 (1:1). Mnogo propustih prilika i nesigurnost igra pred kraja utakmice kostali su slogu dva boda. Jedini gol je postigao Ljube Jozef, dok su ostali igrači tri puta pogodili stativu.

BAXTER — PARKMORE/PLAVI DUNAV 0:5 (0:5). Plavom Dunavu je bilo potrebno svega 15 minuta da pokaze svoju pravu vrednost. Od 20. do 35. minuta postignuto je 5 golova, a posle toga se podigla crna prasina, koja je uspešno tamnila igre. Strelci: Novak Varga 3, Janos Tot i Edi Balicic po jedan. Ferenc Bot, novi trener Plavog Dunava, bio je najbolji igrač ove utakmice, na kojoj je zaradio i zuti karton. Drugi zuti karton i penal je zaradio golman Tibor Mistrice. Ipak se iskupio, jer je odbranio udarac sa bele tacke. U predigri je rezervna Plavog Dunava pobedila sa 3:2 (1:2). Strelci: Istvan Makai 2 i Antal Vardai. Zauzima lep i sretan pocetak u trecjoj District ligi. Sledece nedelje Plavi Dunav igra na svom igralistu protiv West Geelong Makedonije.

INDUSTRIJSKA LIGA Na svojoj "Marakani" po vremenu lepsem nego sto ga ima Francuska Rivijera, raspevani Tarax je pregazio Middle Park VRI sa 8:1 (2:1). Da bi razbili malar zbog 13. aprila, kasapanica "Dunav" je poslala dosta specijalitetu protiv uroka, sto je pomoglo svima osim braci Kazi. Sandor Kazi je primio gol kroz noge i mrtvog ugla, a Andrew Kazi je sa penala dodao loptu golu manu u ruke. Zato su Ibro Hadziabdic i Tim Bikicki daval golove, kojima bi pozavideo i besmrtni Pele. Objavica su dali po 4 gola, a Steva Kosovac ni jedan, iako je odigrao dve utakmice. Ali ima "dana za megdana" A OVAKVOG DELIJU.

STAPOM PO GLAVI Juniore JUST-a ispod 12 godina pobedili su Thomastown sa 3:2 za juniorski kup, iako je protivnik vodio sa 2:0. Petar Grmusa je dao dva gola kao matorac, posto je na "stoparcu" predriblovaio nekoliko igrača i golmana. Grener Thomastown je bio toliko razocaran igrom svojih dracka, da je svakog lutu stapom po glavi! Posle toga zaplasena deca su igrala slabije, ali grublje, pa su zaradili par zutih i crvenih carton.

Isod 13: JUST — Eltham 11:0 (4:0). Strelci: Michael Ferrer 4, Dominik Forance 3, Janos Volf, Veso Kovacevic, Ljubo Barjakurevic i Milan Djurdjevic. "Plavi" su igrali vrlo dobro, ali treba naglasiti da je Eltham nastupio sa 8 igrača.

Isod 16: JUST — Box Hill 1:3 (0:3). Strelac Jorgo Gagic. Golove odmora "plavi" su se naglo popravili, ali fizicki jaci protivnik je uspeo da sacuva pobedu.

NOGOMETNI FILMOVI Ljutitelji nogometa, koje interesuje sta se zbiva u Evropi, mogu videti svake srede i cetvrtka uvece u Metropolitamu, 614 Brunswick Road, filmove sa poslednjih medjunarodnih i prvenstvenih utakmica. U sredu 16. aprila mozete videti prvu olimpijsku kvalifikacionu utakmicu izmedju Italije i Jugoslavije u Torinu, zatim odlomke sa ostalim vaznim utakmicama, kao i prvenstveni susret Lacio — Torino. Prikazivanje pocinje od 7.30 uvece.

BARRON APPEALS George Cross left back Derek Barron will appeal to the Victorian Soccer Federation tonight (Wednesday) against his \$4000 transfer fee. Barron, a former Glasgow Celtic junior, is trying to leave George Cross. He was recently granted permanent residency. Barron can be contacted on 398 1785.

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Promotion

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black, red white trim
black red white

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This week's match: v **ST GEORGE** at
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COLOURS: Blue & White

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HEIDELBERG UNITED

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COACHES: J. Rooney & P. Bannon

This week's match: v **CANBERRA CITY** at
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61 HALL ST., BONDI, NSW.

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GROUND: E. S. Marks Field

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COLOURS: Blue White Red.

This week's match: v **NEWCASTLE KB UNITED** at
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